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PRESIDENT ASKS

NEW TAXES FOR

EMERGENCY FUND

Annual Message Deliver-

ed in Person Today

By Roosevelt

Washington, Jan. 3-(AP -

President Roosevelt coupled an

emphatic plea for national unity

in the face of war-born disinte-

gration abroad today with a rec-

ommendation that congress vote

new taxes to finance "emergency

spending" for a "common sense"

But, he said, in his annual mes-

sage, "the permanent security of

America in the present crisis does

not lie in armed force alone." He

national defense.

Analysis

Dewitt MacKenzie Interprets Today's News From War Zones

The calling of two million more English youths to the colors, taken in conjunction with other indications, gives one to fear that this may be harbinger of a bloody springtime in Europe's western

theatre of war. The signs point uncomfortably to preparations by both sides for great offensives which will form the pattern of the fabric from which peace will be cut ultimately. It is conceivable that once the war gets under full way there might be a quick decision. Or the conflict might drag on for years. Nobody knows how long it is likely to run, for new and untested military factors are involved, and

they must be tried by fire. Thus far there has been virtually no fighting on the western front. Great armies have been sitting there watching each otherjust watching. Apart from the French troops in the Maginot line, the British expeditionary force to downed. date totals some 210,000, and even this comparatively small contin-sions for settling frontier issues. gent has been kicking its heels in

ennui. There are about 1,290,000 more men under arms in England ready for foreign service. Then why the further 2.000,000 now? Answer: Britain and her French ally are

getting ready for dirty weather. Now let's hop across the Engtorious this year, which was a ficially there were no casualties reasonable enough forecast for the captain of any team to make.

At the same time the fuehrer's little damage in Hanko. political heir, Field Marshal Her-mann Goering, came into play with the declaration that "when the German air force counter-at-tacks it will make such an as-

as the British island." We are entitled to temper this rather terrifying forecast a bit, on the ground that it undoubtedly waders, it aid was intended partly as an application of starch to keep public

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Convict Exonerated in

Fort Towson, Okla., Jan. 3 - battle over the North sea. (AP)—Exoneration of a convict in the violent New Year's Eve deaths of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rogers and their 4-year-old son, Dean, left investigators with no definite clues. The convict, a cook at a nearby

prison camp, was questioned by County Attorney Norman Horton and Warden Jess Dunn after he had been implicated by a trusty at Stringtown sub-prison.

Dunn said a personal investigation convinced him the convict had been implicated as a "gag."

A physician's report partially substantiated the story of James Glenn Rogers, 8, that two strangers shot his mother and father and then set fire to their three-room flict house. James fled, carrying his baby brother, Billie Don

Dr. E. A. Johnson said he found buckshot in the bodies of Mr. and also had been slugged. Dean apparently died of burns.

American Legion Still Thinks Bridges Menace

Los Angeles, Jan. 3-(AP)-National Commander Raymond J. Kelly declared today that the American Legion did not concur in the Landis report on the Harry Bridges deportation case and still regards the labor leader as "a menace to American institutions.'

Dean James M. Landis of the Harvard law school, acting as special examiner for the department of labor, found that Bridges was neither a member of nor affiliated with the communist party. The department has yet to rule wheth-

er the Australian is deportable. "That the determination of Mr. Landis was not in accord with what the American Legion still believes to be the correct appraisal of the evidence against Mr. Bridges is a source of disappointment to the American Legion,' Kelly said in a prepared address to the Los Angeles Breakfast Club.

Peace Returns to 'Frisco Waterfront

Peace returned to the San Francisco waterfront today with ap-

Acceptance of the settlement added 22 rural calls for the serv- fires for the year was \$386,650 in Thursday, mostly light; not plan was voted late yesterday by ices of the community truck.

longshoremen refused to cross the blazes.

DIXON, ILLINOIS, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1940

National Unity and Defense Theme of Message

FINNS PREPARE TO MEET VITAL **SOVIET ATTACK**

Hear Reports Seven Fresh Red Divisions Being Sent Into Action

War in Brief

(By The Associated Press) Helsinki-Finns hear reports of 105,000 Russian troops massing

new offensive. Prague-1,000 former Czecho Slovak army officers and others arrested in German protectorate. Berlin - Authoritative German source indicates Germany may give Russia active support in Fin-land if allies aid Finns exten-

London - Britain admits loss of two planes in air battle, but Gersay three British were

Tokyo-Japan says Russia has

BULLETIN Hensinki, Jan. 3-(AP)-The Finnish high command announced today a powerful infantry attack on the Karelian isthmus had been repulsed

'with heavy losses," Russian fliers bombed Turku lish Channel and listen in on Ber- and Hanko today in their contin-Herr Hitler predicted Satur- uing campaign against Finnish day that Germany would be vic-centers, but it was announced of-

Both cities are in southwestern

Finland. The high command communique said the isthmus attack by the sault as world history never has experienced." He added that "no land is so vulnerable from the air ternoon in the Taipale river zone after heavy artillery preparation. The defense repulsed the invaders, it aid, with infantry and

By The Associated Press) Finland heard reports today of Russian troops massing for a new major offensive after further Fin-Oklahoma Triple Murder nish successes while Germany and Britain disputed results of an air

The Finnish reports said that seven Soviet divisions-about 105,-000 men-were being readied for

a tremendous attack. Snowstorms checked air operations in the northern warfare but, despite bitter weather, the Finns were holding their Mannerheim defense line against Russian assaults and were said to be inflicting "enormous losses" on the

Authoritative Berlin expressed concern about possible British-French aid to Finland, indicating that any substantial asactively" with Russia in the con-

France informed the League of Nations that she was ready to coending aid to the Finns. A similar pledge already had been sent Mrs. Rogers and that the latter by Britain, but the extent or type of help from the allies was not

Accounts of Air Battle German and British accounts of (Continued on Page 6.)

Unity Arrives Home; Has Bullet in Neck

Folkestone, England, Jan. 3-AP)-Sentries with fixed bayonets guarded the return to England today of Unity Valkyrie Freeman-Mitford, the peer's daughter whose blonde "Nordic beauty" charmed Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hit-

His daughter had been carried aboard the steamer on a stretcher left for the shops of a Chicago at the French port and she was salvage firm where they will be accompanied on her journey home

and a sister, Deborah Vivien. Miss Freeman-Mitford was reported to have been wounded locomotives were either obsolete strangely in Munich. The Evening or wornout. Some had been idle in News of London asserted surgeons the shops here more than five would operate to remove a revol- years. Their original cost totaled ver bullet from her neck.

Day in Court Chicago, Jan. 3— (AP)— The Kerchner family has had

its day in court. When William Kerchner 21, drew a \$10 fine in a justice

court on a disorderly conduct charge, he 'phoned his father, John J., for the money. On the way to court the elder Kerchner was arrested on a reckless driving charge. Mrs. Kerchner completed the family scene by rushing to court with her husband's driver's license, a prerequisite for his release.

Swedish Steamers Torpedoed by Submarines

BULLETIN

London, Jan. 3 - (AP) - The Swedish steamer Svarton, 2,475 tons, was reported torpedoed today by a submarine off the northeast coast of Scotland and

sunk in a minute and a half. Twenty members of her crew were missing. Eleven survivors on a raft were rescued by a

lifeboat. New York, Jan. 3- (AP)-Mackay Radio today picked up an SOS from the Swedish steamship Kiruna, saying: "been fired at by U-boat and are sink-

ing slowly. Require assistance." She gave her position as approximately 500 miles north of the Azores. The Kiruna, a 5,484 ton

freighter, was last reported as having sailed from Hampton Roads on November 1 for Gothenburg. Her home port is Stockholm. She is a two-decker, 394 feet long, with a 53-feet beam. The Kiruna's New York

agents, Eckert & Stockard, said

they had received no word from the vessel. They said she normally carried a crew of 39. "If the Germans sink that boat they will be cutting their own threoats," said Harold Winsch of the Eckert & Stockard firm. "The people who own

mines.' ' Owners of the Kiruna are Trafik ab Grangesberg Oxelosund of Stockholm. Swedish ore mines supply Germany with much of the material for muni-

her also own the Swedish ore

Woman Breaks Pledge, Lands in Jail Again

Telle Torell, 50-year-old woman, who was found walking in the center of Galena avenue near Third sources street this morning, was taken in custody by Sheriff Gilbert Finch and is being detained at the sistance from the allies would be county jail pending investigation. the signal for Germany to side At the sheriff's office it was reported that the woman was intoxicated and was attempting to hitch hike a ride and while staggering operate with other nations in about in the street was in danger

of being struck by passing cars. At the police station, it was reported that the woman was taken in custody by police Saturday night when she was found lying on the ground in the residence section on Hennepin avenue. Sunday morning, a fine of \$2 and costs on an intoxication charge was suspended upon her voluntary promise to leave Dixon.

17 Locomotives Headed for "Last Round House"

Green Bay, Wis., Jan. 3-(AP) -Seventeen-old locomotives of the | State. NorthWestern railroad were head-

ing for the last roundhouse today. Made up in a special train, they broken up for scrap metal. Two by her mother, Lady Redesdale, late-type engines pulled the train and a third pushed.

Supt. C. J. Larkin said the old more than \$750,000.

Dixon Firemen Kept Busier During The Weather 1939 Than in Any Year in History

Fire Chief Sam Cramer today 1938 and reached a figure of 50.4 filed his annual report with the with an average loss per fire state fire marshal's office at proval by striking C. I. O. ship Springfield, which indicated the to the Mrs. Celia A. Jones prop- zero; slightly warmer Thursday; clerks and their employers of a largest number of calls being erty on Crawford avenue and Secmade for the service of the fire ond street about three weeks ago. Representatives of both groups department in many years and The report of Chief Cramer were called to a joint meeting to probably in the history of the paid places the fire loss in Dixon for sign the agreement, and to work department. There were 153 1939 at 85,442 of which amount out details of the port re-opening, alarms received during 1939, one \$4,677 represented building losses ing 152 active calls. To this were valuation of property involved in

the union members. It previously | Chief Cramer attributed the tents for a total of \$796,000. Total east Thursday; colder Thursday in had been approved by employers. record number of alarms to the insurance involved in structures northwest. The strike has tied up major long dry spell during which the amounted to \$138,250 in buildshipping on the San Francisco wa- department was called upon to ings; \$70,550 in contents, totalling ter-front since November 10, when extinguish 46 grass and rubbish \$208,880. Total insurance loss for

newly-posted picket lines of the The per capita loss for the year buildings and \$655 in contents for was more than double that in a total of \$5,267.

amounting to \$35.80. The costliest fire of the year was the damage

buildings and \$409,350 for conthe year amounted to \$4.612 in

DIES COMMITTEE **EXONERATES CIO** AND JOHN LEWIS

Report Made to House Deals With Numerous Investigations

Washington, Jan. 3 .- (AP)-The Dies committee estimated today that not more than 1,000,000 Americans have been seriously affected by subversive activities. which it said were declining rapidly because of the international issued in Clinton, Iowa to Melvin

"The time may speedily come on, Ill. when they will cease to be seriously regarded by anyone in the United States." the committee said in reporting to the house on its two-year investigation of un-

american activities. In a 15,000-word summary of its hearings, signed by all seven members after a stormy meeting, the noon at 1 o'clock. committee drew these major con-

1. The overwhelming majority of C. I. O. members, including ously ill at the home of her President John L. Lewis, are not daughter, Mrs. Allen Wade, north communists or communist sympathizers, but in the leadership of quarter of the C. I. O. unions is "more than tinged with com-

2. It omitted from a list of communist front" organizations the American Youth which Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt have been enjoying a two weeks had upheld. The youth congress hunting and fishing trip along has been described as a "front" the gulf coast in southern Texas. group by witnesses before the

committee. 3. The soviet-nazi pact has helped protect constitutional democracy by "making more clear the real nature of all dictatorships" and by revealing the similarity between Hitler's naziism and Stalin's communism.

Both the German-American bund and the communist party in the United States are agents of

Treaty Violated 5. The communist advocacy of changing the United States (Continued on page 2)

Report Murphy Will Be Named

Washington, Jan. 3-(AP)-Frank Murphy will be appointed to the Supreme Court and Solicitor General Robert H. Jackson will succeed him as attorney gen-

reports increased yesterday when by insurance. President Roosevelt conferred with both Murphy and Jackson.

Murphy became attorney gen-

to the Supreme court.

On Capitol Hill today it was on the same evening. reported that the President would send these nominations to the Senate tomorrow along with the nomination of Senator Schwellenbach (D-Wash) to fill a vacancy on the bench of the eastern federal district court of Washington

Mrs. Fred Keacker of

(Telegraph Special Service) Franklin Grove, Jan. 3-Mrs. avenue, Chicago. Fred Keacker, 72, passed away at her home here at about 6 o'clock this morning after a lingering illness. Funeral services will be held at the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Obituary will be pub-

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 3, 1940

(By The Associated Press)
For Chicago and Vicinity: Mosty cloudy tonight and Thursday, ight snow Thursday or Thursday night; not quite so cold tonight owest temperature near 10 above gentle shifting winds.

Illinois: Mostly cloudy, snow beginning tonight or Thursday: not so cold. Wisconsin: Much

Thursday; not quite so cold in extreme south portion tonight; colder Thursday in northeast portion. Snow tonight and Iowa: cold tonight and in extreme south-

For the 24 hours ending at 7 p. m. Tuesday: maximum temperature 20, minimum, zero; clear. Thursday: sun rises at 7:25;

LOCAL WEATHER

Very Confusing

St. Louis, Jan. 3—(AP)— This city's much publicized smoke is mighty confusing to roosters announcing the

Joseph Miller put it this

way: "A rooster across the alley from my place crows at dawn, then the smoke comes up and it gets dark again, then the smoke goes away a little and he crows again; pall gets darker and lighter, darker and lighter, and he keeps on crowing all morning.

TERSE NEWS

LICENSED IN IOWA A marriage license has been

Cory and Courtney Clinker, Dix-

ON AIR TOMORROW A Rockford radio station will broadcast an interview with the agricultural students of Dixon high school and their teacher. L. V. Slothower, tomorrow after-

SERIOUSLY ILL Mrs. Katie Gilbert, 74, is seriof the city, following a heart attack on New Year's Day.

SUPT. RETURNS

County Superintendent of Highways Fred Leake and wife, who the gulf coast in southern Texas, have returned to their home in

COMPLETE REPORT

The road and bridge committee is in session today at the court house, completing reports to be filed with the board of supervisors at their regular January foreign power and should be con- meeting which convenes tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

TO CONVENTION

J. L. Glassburn of Dixon will attend the annual convention of the Illinois Automotive Trade Assn., of which he is a director. at the Kaskaskia hotel in La-Salle, next Monday and Tuesday. Several other local automobile to High Court dealers may attend some of the

MINOR ROOF FIRE

The community fire truck was summoned to the home of Dr. A. M. McNicol, 737 North Galena eral, it was learned today on high avenue, at 11:45 this morning, where sparks from a chimney had This shift in the justice depart- started a fire on the roof. The ment has been widely predicted blaze was extinguished with minor ever since the death of Justice damage to the property which Pierce Butler November 16. The was reported to have been covered

FIND STOLEN AUTO

State highway police of the eral on Jan. 2, 1939, succeeding Joliet district yesterday recovered Homer Cummings. He had along a highway several miles served two years as governor of east of Mendota, the car belong-Michigan and prior to that was ing to E. G. Walter, DeKalb autohigh commissioner to the Philip- mobile dealer, which was stolen in Dixon Sunday evening while Jackson has been with the jus- the owner was visiting at the tice department since 1936. After Peter Phalen home on Galena ave- said he believed he wounded one. leading the anti-trust division, he nue. Local police were notified of became solicitor general in 1938 the recovery of the car this mornwhen Stanley Reed was appointed ing and informed the owner. A car was also stolen from Mendota

Amboy, suspended Illinois state highway patrolman, and Harold about 24 years old. Moberg, 37, of Des Moines, Ia., was continued to Jan. 31 in Felony court in Chicago yesterday. They are charged with manslaughter in risburg when someone attempted the sale of Greenland to the connection with the death of Vir- to rob him. Franklin Grove Passes ginia Rudd, five years old, killed

I. C. May Run Diesel Engines Thru Dixon

Illinois Central railroad may scribed as critical. soon place two-unit Diesel locomotives on freight runs between Anything Can Happen in Washingless, Rockford agent, announced yesterday. The clocomotives are considerably more powerful, faster and economical than steam locomotives, he said.

ordered for trains operating between Chicago and Champaign and hatchet. Freeport and Clinton, and the first engines will be placed in operation the opening of congress brings a on the final day of the last ses- insist, in February or March.

capable of a speed of 100 miles an bows, backslaps, compliments, hour. A test run between Chicago happiness, jokes, forgiveness, and Champaign Saturday was re- winks and well-wishes. ported highly successful by railroad executives. Because of steep grades on the Freeport-Clinton run, the locomotives may be used one in a presidential year. Not the waiting be construed as someextensively there.

LAST VETERAN DIES Rushville, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)-

Civil war veteran, died yesterday. in the next 12 months . . He was 100 years old. He was also Illinois infantry.

EIGHTEEN DEAD IN APARTMENT FIRE THIS MORN

Six More Feared Lost in Destruction of Minneapolis Hotel

Minneapolis, Jan. 3-(AP) -

Eighteen persons were known to have died and six more were feared dead in a fire that destroyed the Mariborough apartment hotel

Morgue-keeper John Anderson said at 10 a. m., four hours after the fire was discovered, that 17 have levelled 10 villages in the bodies had been brought to the morgue, and that he had just had a call to send the morgue ambu- river Euphrates broke its banks, lance to the apartment for at spreading terror in the region of least one more.

One victim, identified as Mrs. Mabel Brown, 34, died in General hospital of a fractured skull. She had jumped from a third-floor window with her husband. He

was reported in poor condition. Anderson said three victims had been identified as Otto Franke, about 25; his sister, 16, and his mother, about 50.

The only other body identified even tentatively was that of Florence Hesse, 30, who jumpeds to her death out of a third-floor

Tells of Explosion Otto Knaack, 49, janitor, described an explosion which accompanied the start of the fire. The blast occurred, he said, shortly before 6 a. m., just as he opened the door of the boiler room.

"When I opened the door something tossed me back into the areaway in the basement," said. "All the windows in the boiler room were blown out then." Flames swept through the building almost instantaneously, Knaack added, and he had to jump out of a window after arousing his fam-

Firemen found three persons dead shortly after they reached the scene, about 6 a. m., but it was

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Druggist Given No Warning When Shot by Gunmen

Harrisburg, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)-Fired upon without warning by two armed intruders who first ordered sandwiches, Ray Altmire, proprietor of a drug store, was seriously wounded last night.

sat down at the counter one of them whipped out a revolver and fired "eight or 10" shots at him. One of the bullets struck the proprietor in the abdomen. Grabbing a gun in a nearby

Altmire said after the gunmen

drawer, Altmire fired six shots at the men as they fled. He pursued them a short distance and They made no attempt to rob

Benton police later reported a man who had three bullet wounds in his abdomen was left at a hospital there. Hospital attendants said he identified himself as Clay-The case of Rex Flach, 44, of ton Wells of Newcastle, Ind., and was in serious condition. He is

patrolman, said Wells told him he had been shot in a home at Har-

Schultz said night attendants at in an automobile accident last the hospital heard someone knock week at 87th street and Jeffery on the door and then the noise of a car driving away. When they opened the door, Wells fell into

> At the Harrisburg hospital the condition of Altmire, 45, was de-

Party Lineup Washington, Jan. 3—(AP) Here is the party lineup for the 1940 congress: Democrats Senate Hous Democrats 69 259 Republicans 23 164 Farmer-Labor 2 1

Progressives American Labor Independents 1 Vacancies

New Quake and

Floods Plague

Turkish Areas

Ankara, Jan. 3-(AP)-A new earthquake was reported today to Yozgad area, adding to Turkey's quake damage of last week as the

southern Anatolia. The Yozgad region, scene of widespread suffering from previous tremors, was thrown into panic by the latest shocks. Hundreds of buildings collapsed. Nearly a thousand persons were made

The death toll, however, was expected to be silent, since the people had sufficient warning to flee to open spaces.

With scores of villages in western Anatolia still submerged, flooding of the thickly-populated Euphrates valley was expected to executive called for extension of increase the estimated 46,200 dead the reciprocal trade treaty proin the combined disasters. First reports from Birijik said

it was impossible to estimate the

damage or loss of life from the flood waters. The Euphrates still was rising, sweeping houses, cattle and whole settlements southward toward Syria. Meanwhile the crippled nation battled bitter winter temperatures to get food, clothing and medicines to hundreds of thousands of

which now cover the major part of Mobile hospitals reached the Erzincan area, scene of the greatest suffering from last week's

survivors in the distressed regions.

Former Dixonite Gets Fine Chicago Position

city, now of Chicago, was last eve- lems ning honored by being elected business agent of the Amalgamated Structural Steel & Iron Workers local, No. 1 of the Chicago area. In his new position, Mahan heads one of the strongest organi-zations of its kind in Chicago featism in the minds of the which embraces a membership of about 1.400 structural steel work-

ers in the Chicago district. employ of a contracting firm which was engaged in erecting structural steel at the Dixon state thing will be all right - is not hospital in one of the first group courage. of buildings in 1915. He continued the profession as a structural steel worker and for the past 20 years has been located in Chicago. He is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Mahan, 516 Eighth street, and is a brother of State Highway Patrol- he man Edward Mahan. His many light of continuing world uncer-Dixon acquaintances congratulate him in his election to the responsible position which he assumed

"PURE INVENTION" Oslo. Jan. 3 .- (AP) -The news-Fred Schultz, Benton night paper Tidenstegen today published budget tomorrow, the only imporan article alleging that the Dan- tant increase in any part of the ish government was negotiating budget is the estimate for na-

United States. The article, by Gustav Smedal, can continue in these days of inleader of a movement several creasing economic prosperity years ago to acquire Greenland from Denmark for Norway, urged cient additional taxes to meet the the Norwegian government to do emergency spending for national its utmost to prevent such a defense.

transaction. (The Danish foreign office de-

scribed Smedal's report as "pure |

ton Within Next Twelve Months

Washington, Jan. 3. - (AP) - way may be the next secretary of That sound of digging on Capitol something - or - other The to

The Diesel locomotives are laughs, grins, beams, hand-clasps, have a hundred jobs in his pocket

even a Capitol elevator operator- thing else? . . . he may be in the cabinet next | Four hundred thirty-five jobs heads in the sand.

This man next to you may be favors must be asked . . . the last survivor of Co. D, 115th the next president of the United | Anything can happen - it al-States . . . The fellow across the I wave has.

Ten Diesel locomotives have been Hill is the noise that comes from statesman lounging in the cloak- that will lighten the troubles of so many people burying the room may be the chairman of the world, and by so doing help some powerful committee . The one you took that crack at This is a presidential year, and

profusion of political smiles, sion may head a department and or both, that the United States of does he remember? . . . ly, its future secure, inside a high Strange things happen in a wall of isolation while, outside,

presidential year . . . Should you the rest of civilization and the As an old practical politician try to pick a winner at this early date? . . . Or should you lay back "Never speak sharply to any- and wait? . . . If you did, would

will be open in the house of rep-You feel it everywhere, that resentatives . . . Thirty-four must Michael Dace, Rushville's last feeling that anything can happen be contested in the senate . . . Favors must be repaid

In the hope that we can con-

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"What we face is a set of world-wide forces of disintegration-vicious, ruthless, destructive of all the moral, religious and political standards which man-

kind, after centuries of struggle, has come to cherish." To this he added that "national unity is, in a very real and deep sense, the fundamental safeguard of all democracy."

Personally delivering his annual message before a joint session of the house and senate, the chief gram — already under fire from Republicans and some Democrats "as an indispensable part of the foundation of any stable and durable peace."

Some Reductions

He disclosed that his budget message to be submitted to the

new session of congress tomorrow would call for reductions in "practically all other important items' except national defense.

He asked for special taxes to meet that extra cost "in the hope

that we can continue in these days of increasing economic prosperity to reduce the federal And he declared that an answer must be found "in terms of work and opportunity" for the unemployment problem because "we have not yet found a way to employ the surplus of our labor which the efficiency of our industrial processes has created."

Then in a paragraph which carried political overtones for many

ried political overtones for many of his listeners sensitive to every hint of politics in this president election year, Roosevelt declared John Mahan formerly of this that youth especially has probof unemployment which

> "For they, looking ahead to life, are entitled to action on our part and not merely to admonitions of optimism or lectures on economic law," he said. Some in our midst have sought

American people about this prob-"To face the task of finding jobs faster than invention can The former Dixonite entered the take them away-is not defeat-To warble easy platitudes that if we will only go back to ways that have failed, every-

In his discussion of national defense Roosevelt said that "for several years past we have been compelled to strengthen our own na-

tional defense.

Cause of Deficits "That has created a very large portion of our treasury deficits tainty, I am asking the congress army and navy which are based not on panic but on common sense. "They are not as great as en-

information would demand. "As will appear in the annual "Therefore, in the hope that we

asking the congress to levy suffi-

thusiastic alarmists seek. They are not as small as unrealistic

persons claiming superior private

SOME HIGHLIGHTS Some outstanding sentences

the federal deficit, I am

from the message: The overwhelming majority of our fellow citizens do not aban-don in the slightest their hope and expectation that the United States will not become involved in military participation in the war.

with other nations, but at least we can strive with other nations

merce and culture of mankind I hope that we will have fewer American ostriches in our midst. is not good for the ultimate

America as a self-contained unit

The trade agreements act should be extended as an indispensable part of the foundation of any stable and durable peace.

health of ostriches to bury their

Dorotha Mae Warling

Telephone Lu91

Whist Club

Mr. and Mrs. Manlius Lovegreen were host and hostess to their Whist club on Monday evening. There were three tables at play. Ladies' high was awarded to Mrs. Martha Epperson and ladies' low to Mrs. Louise Wallis. Men's high was awarded to Bert Wallis and men's low to Fred Kruse. Guess Your Score prize was awarded to Mrs. Martha Walrath. The next club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kruse in two weeks. A most delicious lunch was served.

Walnut Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hopkins and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Renner. Miss Pearl Hopkins and Irvin Renner were week end guests of

Miss Margaret Gaar of Thomson Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Durham and sons and Tom Fordham were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Durham and family of Mendota.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wallis were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newcomb and family of Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. Max Wallis and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Monnas Wallis and family, Miss. Monnas Wallis and family, Miss. Margaret Louise, Wallis, Miss. Miss Margaret Louise Wallis, Miss Helen Alsene and Miss Betty Bower of Sterling. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson

and daughters were Sunday din-ner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson of Dover. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Forbeck and daughter of Tiskilwa were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Mary Hasenyager and daughter

Irvin Hasenyager was a Stering business caller on Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Arnould
were Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess

Gilette of Tampico.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Trottnow of
Aurora were New Years afternoon
callers of Mr. and Mrs. Bert

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fritz and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crane of Erie.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bass and son Wallis spent Monday and

Tuesday in Chicago.

House guests for the past week
of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Castle was Mrs. Castle's son Junior Davis of Schenectady, New York. Mr. Davis left for his home on Mon-

. Mr. and Mrs. Castle drove to Chicago and he left by Wallace Bass and Sheldon Ford-ham left for Champaign to resume

their studies. Miss Margaret Mau returned to

New Years Dinner Guests Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winger entertained the following at their home on New Years Day: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Winger of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Winger and daughters of Geneseo, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bullington, Mr. and family Mrs. Lizzie Hasenyager, Mrs. Joe Texas, was affixed by a clerk. Miss Phyllis

Kerchner, and Leo Brandeau. Eva Burke, Mrs. Jane Livey and son Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. Burke Livey and family, Mr. and Mrs. I M. Lewis and family and Mr. here of the C. I. O. "It is unmist committee said whelming majo and Mrs. Mason Burke. Rev. and Mrs. Dewey C. Kooy

Warling and

and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hop-kins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Wolsfelt, and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Woodsma and daughter of New Bedford were New Years guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Ford of Dixon. In the evening they drove to Clinton, Iowa, to see Christmas light display of the

Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Birkey and children, Miss Marjorie Lar-kin, Miss Marjorie Smith and Mr. and Mrs. William McNinch of La-Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith had

as New Years guests, Mrs. Rosa Monier, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Melton and sons, John Clayton and

and family were New Years sup-per guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Renner and family. New Years guests of Miss Dora

Mau were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mau of Peoria, Edwin Mau and daughters, Mrs. Sam Little, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Merchant and Miss Luella Hopkins.

Peterson Takes Up His New Duties in Illinois Department of Labor

efficient assistant bookkeeper in efficient assistant bookkeeper in the office of the chief clerk at the Abraham Lincoln Brigade." Dixon state hospital and also in charge of the trust fund at the in-stitution, yesterday took up the organization which has no memduties of his new appointive posi- bership of its own, but which attion with the division of unemployment compensation, Illinois largest possible number of organidepartment of labor, in the Mer- the vast majority of whom have chandise Mart, Chicago. He left no connection with communism

his many friends.

Orrin is first sergeant of Co. A. possesses. 124th infantry, Illinois National Guard, being a member since 1927. In 1929 he was given the charge has exerted considerable influence

the non-commissioned officers at clude those who do not believe in the armory he was highly compli- democrac mented for his untiring work by "The committee finds," the reseveral officers of Company A. port said, "that the American

Traffic fatalities in rural dis-tricts decreased only 1 per cent in the first seven mently of 1920 or the first seven months of 1939 as and earnest people commared with a 7 per cent de- cooperative with the communis crease in urban communities.

Synthetic fuel for high-speed Diecel enginess is being made in surply believe

RED RYDER





DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH, DIXON, ILL.,





Dies Committee—

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treaty by which the United States forts and perhaps even cooperated recognized Russia. There is a "remote possi-

fascists might overthrow the nation's constitutional government, but a "greater chance" exists that opponents of one form of violence may accept another type they find less objectionable. Elimination of subversive activities depends on earnest ef-

law enforcement. 8. The committee, which expires tonight, should be continued

to make certain that the "confusion" among subversive organiza-"is turned into complete rout.'

Two Disputes Two principal disputes arose in the committee yesterday when it was studying the final draft of the report. A special vote had to be taken before the members agreed to include John L. Lewis in the statement exonerating the bulk of C. I. O. members from

being communist sympathizers.

Rep. Dempsey (D-NM) moved that the committee make public the names of any federal employes He and four other committeemen said they knew of none. The sixth named only one person in the WPA, and the matter was college at Naperville on Tuesday having spent the Christmas vaca-

Texas, was affixed by a clerk.

The report asserted that communists attempted early to gain

a featbald in the United States. New Years guests of Mr. and a foothold in the American Fed-Mrs. James P. Stephens were Mrs. eration of Labor, then switched

"It is unmistakably clear," the committee said, "that the over-whelming majority of the mem-bers of the C. I. O. as well as its president are not communists or communist sympathizers, but sin cere American workers seeking to improve their lot in life in perfectly legitimate American fash-

"The evidence before the com-mittee indicates, however, that the leadership of some 10 or 12 of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Chandler and family were New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Durham.

New Years guests of Mr. and Mrs. Baumgartner were Ed Baumgartner and daughter Ethel

Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Birkey

the (C. I. O.) unions out of a total of 48 is more than tinged with communism. x x x There is encouraging evidence of an attempt on the part of the C. I. O. leadership to remove this communist influence."

But the report said that on the the (C. I. O.) unions out of a

But the report said that on the basis of testimony, communist leadership was entrenched in

these unions: National Maritime Union; Unit ed Canner, Packing, & Allied Workers; Federation of Archi-tects; Chemists & Technicians; Fur Workers International Union International Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union; Ameri Miss Eve Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stickle

Warehousemen's Union; American Communications Association

Can Communications Association

United Electrical Pagin and Managements. United Electrical Radio and Me-chanical Workers of America; United Furniture Workers of

America. The committee repeated its contention that the communist party "bores from within" through "front organizations." It listed these as "fronts:"

"Front Organizations" American League for Peace and Democracy, International Workers Order, American Student Union, Friends of the Soviet Union, National Negro Congress, League of American Writers Orrin B. Peterson, 803 Galena

avenue, for the past seven years

workers Alliance, Spanish Refuee Relief Campaign, North
merican Committee to Aid Span-

Discussing the American Youth for Chicago Now Year's Day, accompanied by the best wishes of the most necessary and valuable organizations which our country

of company clerk which he fulfilled for over ten years.

At a dinner given last Wednesday evening by the company for
the company for pledged to preserve American include there who do not believe in

League for Peace and Democracy

"We fully realize that the vast Germany on a commercial scale. Ito understand why this majority

has not asserted itself with great- tween the regimes of Stalin and er vigor in connection with the Hitler, asserted that both tried to activities of the league.

The report said of the Internasome non-communists have ungovernment violates the 1933 doubtedly lent support to its efbility" that communists, nazis or legal defense arm of the com-States.'

Results of Inquiry

The committee expressed belief that the un-American inquiry was an important factor in bringing about the following results:

Was about to make its most effective appeal by representing itabout the following results: forts of all groups and on strict can bund leader, has been imprisoned "as a man unable to be trusted with the custody of the funds of his own organization." 2. Earl Browder, communist party secretary, and William Weiner, party treasurer, have been indicted on a charge of fal-

sifying passports. Nicholas Dozenberg, described by federal officials as one of the founders of the communist party in the United States, has been charged with counterfeiting on orders of the Communist International. 4. William Dudley Pelley, Silver

Shirt leader, has disappeared terference from governmental rather than appear "like a man" before the committee.
5. Officials of Bookniga, soviet

build up in other nations followers who could be "depended upon tional Labor Defense: "Although to protect the interests of the European dictators under every circumstance.

By FRED HARMON

"Up until the time of the signwith it, the committee has estab- ing of the pact between Stalin lished that it is, essentially, the and Hitler," the report said, "the communist party on its part was munist party of the United about to gain its greatest influence in the United States by attempting to represent itself as the spearhead of an anti-fascist' movement, and the German-American Bund on the other hand self as the spearhead of an 'anticommunist' movement. x x x "At the present time, with the signing of the soviet-nazi pact, these movements have been se-

verely crippled and this tactic is far less effective than formerly. The members asserted that the primary loyalty of every present American communist in the event of a conflict between the United States and Russia would be to the latter nation. The Russian secret report declared, rerard the United States as one of the countries "in which their work has been done with least in-

NOTED GEOLOGIST DEAD Tulsa, Jan. 3-(AP)-George Charlton Matson, 76, widely

Thomas (R-NJ) and Mason Thomas

Analysis-

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morale stiff. But having seen the marshal in action at close range, I shouldn't say he was a man of empty words. As head of the great nazi air-force he undoubtedly means business - means that the fatherland purposes to cut loose a fearful air-avalanche when the time seems right.

The reasons for the prepara-tions being made by both sides for major offensives are complicated, but provide a fascinating study. So far as one can see now, neither side can sit idle beyond the spring without courting grievious trouble. Here is the position:

From Hitler's standpoint: Barring miracles, Germany will be stangled by the British blockade upless the pages are able to break

unless the nazis are able to break it. The fatherland must have seaborne imports to live and wage Already those have been virtually cut off, including a sub-stantial portion of the all-important Rumanian oil and other Balkan products which used travel by ocean to Hamburg.

Nazidom has tried to increase importation from the Balkans by way of the Danube and by railway, but these facilities are limited. Anyway, just now winter snows and ice have blocked much traffic. Meantime Russia, which theoretically was to make Germany independent of the sea for supplies, has been unable (or maybe unwilling) to provide much, so far as has been disclosed.

But even under the most favorable normal conditions, Germany couldn't get all her necessities from Russia and the Balkans. She might if she had the time to develop resources in these countries. And so far is concerns the Balkans she is straining every nerve to do exactly that.

Herr Hitler's game would seem be to blockade smash U-boats, mines and airplanes, and at the same time impose a counter-blockade which is almost wholly dependent on sea-borne supplies for existence. Meantime he will rush development of production in Balkans and try to open up Rus-

But if he is to succeed in his program he must avoid a major land engagement, depending on his other fighting forces and keeping his army largely inactive. For he embarks on heavy land-fighting his reserve supplies will exhausted quickly, and the blockade will strangle him. From the Anglo-French stand-

point: If the allies depend solely on their blockade, and don't force the nazi army into action, to drain German resources, they will be fostering Hitler's scheme to develop new resources.

PANA VETERAN DEAD

sixth named only one person in the WPA, and the matter was dropped.

Those who signed the report in person were Representatives Dempsey, Starnes (D-Ala), Casey (D-Mass), Voorhis (D-Calif), Thomas (R-NJ) and Mason (R-III). The name of Chairman Dies Representation of Chairman Dies Repres

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Rep. George H. Heinke (R.-Neb.), car was killed. braska City, Neb., were hurt when | pected."

their automobile, in which they were enroute to Washington, and another collided in a snowstorm Morrilton, Ark., Jan. 3-(AP)- near here. A woman in the other

57, died in a hospital here last Hospital attendants said Mrs.

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Motorists may have driven their burning cars to the fire sta-

tion before, but R. L. Elledge did it with an extra flourish. Racing for the firehouse, Elledge night from injuries received in an Heinke, who suffered fractures of was forced out of his automobile automobile accident December 26. both legs and a broken right arm, by the flames and drove the last He and Mrs. Heinke, 51, of Ne- was "doing as well as could be ex- three blocks standing on the running board.

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Velma Farmer is Bride of Everette

Miss Velma Farmer of Tampico and Everette Spohn of Ohio, Ill., pledged vows of marriage at 2 o'clock on New Year's afternoon Lutheran church. at the Tampico Church of Christ. The Rev. G. D. Lamb, pastor, performed the ceremony before a large assemblage of guests from Ohio, Walnut, Maytown and La-

Miss Marietta Hoffman of Walnut presented a fifteen-minute Illinois Northern Utilities comrecital of nuptial music, preced- pany. ing the ceremony. She also played accompaniments for Francis Guith- home with the bridegroom's mother of Walnut, who played a clari- er, Mrs. Bessie Reis of North avenue. Miss Frances Crawford net solo, "I Love You Truly." The Hennepin avenue. Misses Etta Mae and Edith Farmer, sisters of the bride, sang a duet,

"O Promise Me." Strains of the traditional "Bridal Chorus" from Wagner's "Lohen- and grin" were the signal for the bridal party's entrance. The hymn, "Jesus Lover of My Soul", was played softly by Miss Hoffman while the vows were being spoken. Palms, ferns and flowers screened the al-

The bride was gowned in white Chantilly lace, and was held in place by a tiara of pearls. Her only ornament was a gold necklace, and she carried an arm bouquet of pink roses tied with pink

satin ribbon. Miss Irene Larson of Ohio, a cousin of the bridegroom, was maid of honor. She wore rose taffeta, and carried white carnations tied with white satin ribbon. The bride's little sister, Frances Farmer, as flower girl, was dressed in baby blue satin trimmed with pink ribbons. Her flower basket con-

Eugene Farmer, the bride's only brother, carried the ring on a white satin pillow. He wore navy

LaVerne Ioder served as best man. Ushers were Paul Albrecht and Donald Kranov of Ohio.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church parlors. Blue, pink, and white appoint- member in the Dixon schools for children of Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. were among 14 girls who have ments were used throughout. Lighted tapers were placed at to complete the present term. She Harold Fluck and son of Sterling, either side of the two-tiered wed- was graduated from Ottawa high and Mrs. Elsie Drew of Oregon, ding cake, which was topped with school and from Northern Illinois mother of the hostess.

Carrie Hammerle of Walnut as- Miss Hecker at 322 Depot avenue. sisted with the refreshments. The The bridegroom is an attorney, guests: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bohn Misses Ethel Larson, Jeannette and is associated with his father and sons of Woodstock, Mr. and Parson, Evangeline Albrecht and and brother in the firm of Carr, Marjorie Baumgartner of Ohio Carr and Carr in Ottawa.

After the reception, Mr. Spohn and his bride left on a wedding trip through the south. When they return, they will be at home on a farm northwest of Ohio.

Mrs. Spohn is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer, who reside south of Tampico. The bridegroom is the only son of the Frank Spohns of Ohio.

DIXON COUPLE WEDS IN IOWA

in Clinton, Iowa.

Miss Leona Woodyatt and Joe Houck. Hepfer attended the couple. The bride wore black and red with black accessories. Miss Wood-

yatt was attired in black with wine accessories.

The couple will reside at 1212 South Ottawa avenue.

CORY-CLINKER

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Clinker of 415 Second avenue have announced the marriage of their only daughter, Courtney Valeria, to Melvin M. Cory, only son of the is to be the speaker, and has Merrill Corys of East Second street, which was solemnized Saturday evening at the parsonage of the Zion Lutheran church in Clinton, Iowa. The Rev. Mr. Krueger performed the ceremony.

honored at a family dinner at the public health nursing. Miss Parkhome of the bride's uncle and aunt, er, who is working for a bachelor Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Bach of Clin- of science degree, was graduated ton. About 20 relatives attended. from Dixon high school with the siding at 415 Second avenue.

BALDWIN AUXILIARY Plans for a joint installation with the veterans next week were discussed last evening by Baldwin auxiliary, No. 23, United Spanish War Veterans. The installation ceremonies are being announced

for 8 P. M. Tuesday in G. A. R. TRAVEL PICTURES

Dr. W. A. McNichols will enter-Sportsman's club tomorrow eve- HERE'S MIGHTY GOOD NEWS ... If your ning with moving pictures of his family's Caribbean cruise of last year. The program will be presented at the Town hall at 8 o'clock.

ELK LADIES

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Elks breathing. You can actually feel it lodge will resume their bi-weekly go to work bringing relief. bridge play at 2 p. m. Friday at the Elks club.

REVEAL NUPTIALS OF LAST MONTH

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trotter of Spohn at Tampico 111 Crawford avenue are making known the marriage of their daughter, Viola, to Fred Reis, an event of Dec. 9, 1939, in Maquoketa, Iowa. The vows were read at the parsonage of the Immanuel

> The bride's sisters, Mrs. Byron Etnyre and Miss Helen Trotter, attended the couple.

Mrs. Reis has been employed at the Prince Ice Cream Castle. The bridegroom, a graduate of Dixon high school, is an employe of the

The couple are making their

Alma Ohlmacher

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ohlmacher of Ottawa are announcing the bride and groom, was presented marriage of their elder daughter, to Mr. Coakley's fiancee while Alma Mary, sixth grade teacher at lunch was being served at the close of the games. the Lincoln school, to Joseph satin. Her long veil was edged with Daniel Carr, son of Robert Carr of Ottawa. The vows were solem- is a son of the Fernando S. Coaknized Saturday morning, Dec. 30, leys of 615 College avenue. Sigat the rectory of Holy Cross Cath- natures written in her souvenir olic church in Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Geiger of Ottawa the Misses Betty Moerschbaecher, attended the couple. Also present Janice Brant, Mary Kathryn for the simple nuptial service were | Slagle, Dorothy Cromwell, Frances Mr. and Mrs. Tolber of Springfield, Crawford, Jane Hoeter, Barbara and the Misses Helen Highland Campbell, Lorraine Giannoni, Betand Hazel Hecker of Dixon.

The bride selected wine-colored accessories for her modish, two- Jr., Mrs. Alden Burger, Mrs. Paul piece suit of slate blue wool. A gray squirrel collar trimmed her jacket, and at her left shoulder was a single orchid. Mrs. Geiger, her matron of honor, was attired

A wedding dinner was served at the Champaign Elks club for eight Vernon Harden and children of guests. Afterward, Mr. Carr and his bride left on a two weeks'

wedding trip to New Orleans, the past four years, and expects Henry Grobe, Jr. and sons, Mrs. State Teachers college in DeKalb. On New Year's Eve.

WOOSUNG P.-T. A.

The January meeting of the Woosung Parent-Teacher association has been announced for Thursday evening, Jan. 4, at the school. The following program has been arranged by Mrs. Victory

Song, the pupils; "Woosung Blab," Harry Harms; recitation, Robert Houck; reading, Marian Hoyle; vocal solo, Mrs. Walter Knott, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Weyant; reading, Cathar-Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hepfer of 523 | ine Hawks; quiz contest; guitar Depot avenue announce the mar- selections, Dan Pieper and Robert riage of their daughter, Elaine, to Freed; reading, Louis Scholl; mu-Lewis Curran, also of Dixon. The sic, Wade Hawks, Eddie Cox, C. nuptials were solemnized Saturday Winebrenner, and Lee Wallace; recitation, "Goodnight," Dorothy evening. N. R. McClannahan heads

MEET, SATURDAY

Members of Dixon chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold their first meeting of the new year on Saturday afternoon, when Mesdames S. C. Stanfield, Willard Thompson and S. D. Crowell will entertain at the Stanfield home. Mrs. A. F. Moore chosen "The Evolution of Culinary

Crafts" for her subject. TO MINNEAPOLIS

Miss Velma Parker left Monday for Minneapolis, where she has en-On Sunday, the bridal pair was rolled for a six months' course in Mr. Cory and his bride are re- class of '34 and from the Sterling Public hospital training school in

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Ruby Grimes to Become Bride of

No longer a secret is news of the engagement of a young Dixon pair, whose approaching marriage was made known last evening when 14 guests at an informal announcement party found concealed inside of popcorn balls, a scroll containing the information that Miss Ruby Grimes and Rob- anniversary. ert Coakley are to be married

"real soon." The party-goers were entertained at the home of the brideelect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Grimes of 419 Crawford ning's announcement. The couple plan to be married later this

Bunco was pastime for the group, with the Misses Betty Moerschbaecher and Barbara Wed in Champaign Campbell winning honors. A twotiered cake, trimmed in yellow and silver and topped with a tiny

> Miss Grimes' bridegroom-to-be guest book last evening included ty Grimes, Juanita Van Meter, Lois Grimes. Mrs. George Curtis, Grimes and Mrs. Ralph Grimes.

HOLIDAY GUESTS Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grobe entertained at dinner on Monday for sons of Woodstock, Mr. and Mrs. sleighbells and snowballs. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Levan and daughters, Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. George Guither and Miss She resides with Miss Hiland and Henry Grobes were hosting at a watch party for the following Mrs. Elwin Levan and daughters. Mr. and Mrs. John Grobe, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grobe, Sr. and daughter Lorraine of Sterling, and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ortgiesen and

daughter Lois.

FROM MISSOURI Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buckaloo and his sister, Miss Grace Buckaloo, returned last evening from Bethany, Mo., where they spent the holidays with the Buckaloos' son, Sidney, and his family. They also visited in Kansas City.

P.-T. A. Men of the Stony Point Parent-Teacher association are arranging the program for a Father's Night meeting of the organization scheduled for 8 o'clock on Friday

Calendar

the evening's committee.

Thursday

Unity Guild-All day meeting at home of Mrs. Myron Atkins: picnic luncheon.

Prairieville P.-T. A. - Picnic supper, 7 P. M. at school. Aid society, St. Paul's Lutheran church-In church parlors, 2:30 P. M. Nachusa P.-T. A.-Address

P. M. Silver Thimble club-Mrs. Walter Heckman, hostess. E. R. B. class, St. Paul's Lutheran church-Mrs. Earl Auman, hostess, 8 p. m.

by John A. Torrens, 7:30

church-Mrs. W. E. Whitson, hostess, 2:30 p. m. Friday St. Agnes Guild, St. Luke's Episcopal church - Mrs.

W. F. M. S., Methodist

George Hawley, hostess. Ladies' Auxiliary, Elks lodge Bridge party at 2 p. m.

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BAKES CAKE FOR NIECE'S WEDDING

Mrs. C. W. Leber of Polo baked Robert Coakley a three-tiered cake served at the reception which followed the wedding of her niece, Miss Zelda Eileen Garnhart, and Richard Ammerman of Pecatonica, solemnized New Year's afternoon at the country home of the bride's parents, the O. C. Garnhart's near German Valley. The date also marked the Lebers' twenty-sixth wedding

About 80 relatives and friends attended the wedding and recep-

DIXON SCOUTS RETURN FROM SOUTHERN TRIP

Six young men with plenty of tales about the south are five Boy Scouts of Troop No. 72-Jim Hoon, Darrell Coakley, Harvey Ware and Jack Stevens-and their Scoutmaster Homer Schildberg who returned to Dixon last evening, just ten days after they drove off toward Florida in Mr. Schildberg's sedan. More than three-thousand miles in all were covered in Illinois, Louisiana, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Kentucky, Indiana, Tennessee and

The party spent two days in New Orleans, where they enjoyed a turkey dinner on Christmas Day, viewed ships from numerous toreign ports, and saw the famous Huey Long bridge. Their itinerary took them as far south

as St. Augustine, Fla. They celebrated New Year's Eve in Chattanooga, Tenn., and took a side trip to Look-Out Mountain. En route, the Scouts experienced their first celebration of the holiday scason in the south, where the populace makes Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bohn and merry with fireworks instead of

> ---0---RECEIVE CAPS

The Misses Evone Cain and Mil-Russell Grobe and children, Mr. dred Newcomer of Mt. Morris and Mrs. Carr has been a faculty and Mrs. Henry Grobe, Sr. and Luda Wheeler Moats of Rochelle completed a four-month probationary period and received caps vesterday at the Rockford Hospital School of Nursing.

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WEDDING GUESTS ed to Dixon on Monday evening,

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after a week-end visit in Evanston with Mrs. S. B. Brandt. On

BIRTHDAY DINNER Relatives celebrated New Year's and a bouquet of small chrysan- second.

wedding of Miss Evelyn Todd and Day and the birthday anniversary themums and gaillardias decorated Mrs. S. W. Lehman and her Orbin Hagist of Oak Park at the of J. P. Drew with a family party the dinner table. niece, Miss Dorothy Hurst, return- Calvary Presbyterian church in on Monday at the Drew home in

Palmyra township. Thirty guests | The Gota canal is the longest in gathered for a scramble dinner. | the world - 115 miles-with the An angel food birthday cake, Suez, 100 miles long, ranking

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Modern Occasional Chair Brown Cover \$14.50	\$5.95
Karpen Fireside Wing Chair	329.50
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GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:

"Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of the favorite are liable to become suspected and odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the applause and confidence of the people to surrender their interests." From the Farewell Address.

PROOF OF THE PUDDING

Capitalism is more effective than communism as a way around a letter to departmental

The proof is demonstrated by the comparative morale and efficiency of the Finish capitalists and the Russian com-

Finland and Russia provide an almost perfect opportunity for comparison of the two systems. Twenty years ago Finland emerged from old czarist Russia, in which it had been a grand duchy for many generations, and became believed by the departmental as well as Bob. Eric!" a capitalistic state. It was a parting of the ways, for Rus- chiefs who received them, to be sia became a communist state.

For generations both the Finns and Russians had suffered the inexcusable evils of czarism. Both the Finns and Last word—the ominous inci-Russians had similar governmental traditions, similar edu- dent was a warning from inside cation, similar habits, and, most important of all, both had that the budget Roosevelt is plan-Slavic racial antecedents. Economically, the Russians had ning to announce shortly is not the edge over the Finns because of important natural re- the budget. What congress does

Behold, then, the two countries today. Russia attempts This is always true, but doubly an invasion of Finland. The stumblepuppy inefficiency of the Reds is incredible. The blazing fearlessness and exquisite morale of the Finns is something to warm the cockles cause this one is eliminating many of the coldest heart. The shambling march of the Stalin-reauthorize—including parity payspawned bums who don't know where they are going, or ments. A question is arising over why, proves only indifference as to the outcome and sullen how much parity-giving can be unwillingness to co-operate toward a common goal. The in- done by the government in view of spiring patriotism of the Finns proves they love their home- rising farm prices, assuming the the desert, flame in the snow, the land and will fight for it to the last expiring gasp of hope. cost of living does not go any deliciousness of food after famine.

It might not last, it could not Finland may be conquered, but only by overwhelming num- higher, but whatever can be given,

Both armies have been told the same story. The Reds, The Roosevelt budget, therefore, according to communist press and radio propaganda, are de- will not last out the week, or fending their homeland against the wicked, capitalist Finns. whatever interval of time is need-The Finns have been told that they are defending their ed to make congressional intenhomes against communism. The energy of the Finns proves tions apparent. they love their system and dislike the other they have seen working just across the border. What does the morale of the Red troops indicate?

DIONNE GIRLS MAY GO HOME

What to do with the celebrated Dionne quintuplets president slashed the appropriaposes a nice question for Canadian lawyers, and the solution may establish a precedent for all governments with laws similarly organized.

Without knowing anything at all of Canadian law, the layman is apt to conclude that while the quints were still incubator babies the parents were beset with financial tempta- their uses, thereby making the tions. No doubt there were offers to exhibit them at fairs cost about half of \$9,000,000. The the fire, snapped off the one lamp and perhaps even in circuses and sideshows. Being poor maritime commission makes them folks, there was danger that the parents might succumb to cheaper under mass production the lure, and the health of these priceless curiosities would methods, and while the ships are be endangered.

Laymen are also likely to conclude that the Canadian ed, they will do. government bludgeoned the parents into a guardianship arrangement whereby the little girls have been kept, to date, in strictly asceptic surroundings, never coming into contact men seem more avid than execu- would celebrate the holiday as with a germ.

Whether Papa and Mama Dionne would have taken their defense expenditures, as is evident babies into the atmosphere of sideshow barkers, the bearded lady, the tattooed man and the India rubber marvel is something that only the Dionne parents can answer. The quints have earned goodly fortunes for themselves, and have even benefitted Dr. A. R. Dafoe and their parents simply by remaining in their strictly sanitary surroundings, so it would seem all to the good.

But still, Papa Dionne wants the babies back home, and the resignation of Dr. Dafoe is said to pave the way for that naval congressmen will probably action, although government officials have not yet decided calm down. The cost of an 80,000 the new, slightly ruthless woman, what to do. And there is something to be said for the par- tonner would probably be prohib- made ruthless by her devouring ents. After all, parents want their children at home, and itive, as the 45,000 ton ships cost the fact that there are five of them, all in one crowd, proba-seventy to eighty million dollars spurring her to immediate acbly makes the longing five-fold.

If the quints had been one little girl, the Canadian government never would have established a special guardianship Strangulation — Other budgets, Christmas gifts: a luxurious evefor her. Yet the life of that one little girl might have been however, in these war days are endangered by some ill-considered action of her parents. Is far worse than ours. The French the life of one little girl of less consequence than the life of one of the quintuplets?

WATCHING DEMOCRACY

The city of Berkeley, Calif., has started an interesting 300,000,000,000 francs (\$6,720,experiment. Each week, Mayor Frank S. Gaines invited 10 citizens to attend the meeting of the City Council. The plan is to acquaint citizens with the mechanics of government on the theory that the voters are stockholders in the corporate

Except under unusual circumstances, the good burghers country—was nearly \$3000,000,000 not scruple to use it for traveling not scruple to use it for traveling scruple to use it for traveling not scruple to use it for traveling to the scruple to use it for the scruple to use it for the scruple to use the scru of any village, town or city may visit their local governing less (the income figure is \$5,340. expenses when she left St. Joseph body whenever the spirit moves them. Very few people drop | 000,000). in to watch their servants guide the destinies of their communities. The mayor of Berkeley hopes, by these special ity of this by applying it to the are not justifiable.

invitations, to have his guests make a point of attending. U. S. If our budget were that However, one conclusion is. Even if they don't get engraved invitations, many peo- much larger than our income, our While France and Britain have an ple would get to know their representatives, would learn government would be spending economic stranglehold on Germore about the process of democracy if they dropped in on eight times what it spent last many, they also have a financial at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred their governing bodies occasionally. The lawmakers are year. usually glad to see a throng; and it's surprising how much Of course, French income has is a financial limit to how long a few such sessions will help to guide voters when elections been increased since 1938, by pos- they can carry on this war, just roll around.

TEA BETWEEN BULLETS

tea. Whole canteen cars, equipped principally with tea to hollow ideologies. be sold at a penny a cup, are being shipped to the Western Front to keep the Tommies happy.

These are the same people who love their democratic tradi- foothold.



Washington, Jan. 2-Mr. Roosevelt had to take stern steps to save his well-sliced budget from being manhandled by his own new deal officials even before it went to the printers.

Its contents were supposed to be an official secret, but hardly had he scratched an item of \$225,-000,000 for farm parity payments when a certain senator showed up at the White House to protest such action. Where the senator found out about it is debatable, but officials and agents of various sliced departments and bureaus have been swarming indignantly through the house and senate office buildings, and officials of the agriculture department are among the senator's best friends.

Thereafter the president sent had done to their budgets was conhis resentment with the polite explanation that such warnings were the usual thing, although the warning words in this one were unprecedented.

to it will be the budget.

Red troops indicate?

Fellow-Traveler Stalin, believe it or not, is in a very mirels had some ideas about build- wonderful! What, in comparison mirals had some ideas about building an oil tanker for \$9,000,000 or "satisfying relationship of which some such sum which would no Bot doubt make a spiffy job of it. The found the navy can buy tankers firmly that duty, after all, from the Maritime Commission for about \$3,000,000 each, and Eric's genius far outweighed anyspend about \$1,500,000 for con- thing she might once have promverting these commercial ships to ised Bob Trenton, of the Treadon not as good as the admirals wanted, they will do.

bed. Bob was fathoms deep in sleep among his own pillows.

Only You'

Floating Colossus - Congresstives to go overboard on national in house naval committee talk about building battleships of 65,-000 to 80,000 tons. (Our largest projected is 45,000 and largest afloat is 35,000.) The 45,000 tonner was planned because the navy heard Japan was building one of

'In this instance, however, the

aghast. Their war outlay calls for an expenditure of more than the entire national French income in 1938. The military budget runs a carved jade paperweight for his office. more for normal government ex- made

sibly 15 to 25 per cent. Also dupli- as there is an economic limit as cations frequently appear in the to how long Germany can survive secret French budgets so that without raw materials.

HAUCK

YESTERDAY: Eric returns to New York, leaving Sue to struggle with her problem. onders if she can relinquish love for duty.

DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH, DIXON, ILL.,

Chapter 27 THE CHOICE

"If the cases were reversed how long would Bob stick to me?" Sue inquired of herself. "Why, when Cecily was here there were times when he seemed actually to reproach me for the inconvenience she caused him! He'd deceived me about her, he'd fallen in love, married, parted from a . and it was so unimportant to him that he'd never told

'I played fair! I warned him we were married that I love with him . . . and Bob came the murmur of voices. laughed! Well, let him laugh "Pats must have come early!" now! He'll be hurt," she mused more seriously. "He'll be badly upset for days—for weeks. But he'll find consolation in the sympathy of the town. Even if he lets me divorce him, it will come out later that I've married Eric and badly. Allen will try his best to nake it up to Bob. Barbara will. Maybe Barbara and Bob stranger things have happened!"

She sighed heavily.
"If he'd only suspect—quarrel with me about Eric! If we could chiefs warning them that what he bring the subject out in the open discuss it, even angrily. But Bob's like a trustful child. It has never occurred to him that his wifehis wife!-could be other than faithful with him, anything else but entirely happy! The unconscious egotism of it, the appealing confidence! I'm torn between the two. But there's Eric to think of,

> And at that beloved name, her senses swam. Firelighted room, Allen, Barbara, Bob — all were swept away as she imagined heronce again held close in arms, listening pounding of a heart which beat for her alone.

> How she knew that to be true. she could not have told, but know it she did. Eric's covering of so-phistication hid something shy and sweet and hitherto untouched. It was deep calling to deep, between her and Eric Farraday. It was the traveled in a strange land experiencing the shuddering delight of hearing his own tongue spoken after weary days of dismay, bewilderment, It was discord resolved into harmaking harbor at the close of a long season, it was cool water in last-for Eric; but even to expe-

herself or Eric. She, little Sue Davenport, with her odd dark face and her unimportant mind, was a worker of miracles. Out of all the women Heartbreak—Mr. Roosevelt had whom Eric had met—and they had been many, and clever, and beautiful—she had been chosen to this, was the keeping up of that as they had not done in years.

rience it briefly was an enchant-

ment she had no right to deny

Tomorrow-or at least th eday after Christmas-she would tell not only a personal matter, but a

Sue put the screen in front of she had kept burning, paused by the window for a last look at the river, lighted only by the stars and took her way up to

Christmas Eve found Sue with her plans made. She and Bob usual, with Pats and Allen coming for dinner the night before and remaining until late Christmas afternoon. And when they had gone, and Bob and Sue were alone, meant to talk to him quietly, calmly about a divorce.

She had not reached her decision without many heartaches. It was as if two personalities strove within her: the tender, loyal girl who had married her husband, honestly confessing that the sort of love she had for him was not the sort she had dreamed of surrendering as a bride; and passion for Eric Farraday.

tion, steadying her oft-times wavering plans. shopped ning coat for Pats, who had hinted

000,000) plus 80,000,000,000 francs money for her personal needs.
The generous allowance he had penses (\$1,792,000,000). The total ried not only sufficed her but kept is \$8,500,000,000. The national in- a comfortable surplus in the bank come of France in 1938—that is She was glad of this. It was, she reasoned, her money because she the earnings of everyone in the had saved it; therefore she need As she drove home from a last

You can appreciate the enorm- strict mathematical conclusions

stranglehold on themselves. There Murphy

The world is inclined to laugh at the British insistence on tions and the heritage of liberty too well to trade them for Mildred O'Malley of St. Louis.

We in America are like that. We're not tea-drinkers, but we're addicted to freedom. In a sense, we learned that But in this dogged determination to preserve the tried from England. Most of our colonists were British to the and true may lie the very key to the solidity of the British core before an arbitrary monarch tried to deprive them of empire. The soldier who sips his afternoon tea in a dugout the rights the people back home enjoyed. As long as there and the Briton who dresses for dinner in the jungle keep are enough people who insist on having something to say England what it is—one of the greatest powers in the world. about their way of life, dictatorship won't be able to get a

BY LOUISE PLATT

moment shopping trip late on the afternoon of Christmas Eve, she felt that everything was done she could do to make this occasion a successful one. Holly hung in the windows, a gay wreath of it on the front door. The pantry was stocked with delicacise for tomorrow, the great turkey was ready for its chestnut stuffing. Two of the guest rooms had been prepared for Allen and his wife. The servants had been remembered, the fees for postman, milkand various others were

neatly sealed in their tiny envelopes. Because snow had fallen that morning, she wore her galoshes. Their rubber soles made no sound as she went upstairs and into her own sitting room to deposit her last purchases. The door was might meet the right man, fall in slightly ajar and from within

she thought, and with a light hand swung the door gently open. The tableau which met her eye froze her where she stood. Bob was seated in a corner of the couch, his elbows on his knees. his face in his hands. Before him everyone will know I treated Bob Patsy knelt, her half bare arms pulling his face down to hers.

"Poor, poor boy," she was crooning. "My poor darling Bob!"
From those spread, desperate fingers came a broken murmur. "Pats, Pats! There's only you

Violent Love Affair

Noiselessly Sue withdrew; gained her bedroom without the absorbed pair at the other end of the room knowing of her presence. Her face was flaming, her palms

While she had been wrestling with her conscience over the coming separation with Bob, he had been indulging in a violent love affair with—this was what hurt, this was what stung her pride!—with Patsy, of all people! Pats, whom Bob had called "cheap," against whose greediness he had warned Sue, at whose unkindness to Allen he had railed. And now, in Sue's own sitting room, dressed in the very gown

Sue had bought for her, this scene was being enacted! As always when in the grip of emotion, she walked to the window and stared out. She stood there a long time, not hearing Allen's arrival, not even knowing when Patsy and Bob went downstairs. Suddenly she threw back her head with the gesture of one

"This certainly simplifies things! I was a fool to let it upset me. Why, it makes everything perfect! Bob will give me a di-vorce, and console himself with Pats. Allen, dear Allen, will be free of her at last! Oh, it couldn't be better!"
"Sue!" It was Bob shouting be-

freeing himself of a heavy bur-

low. "We're all waiting for you. Coming down soon? "In five minutes," she returned

composedly.
When she joined them around the fire below, she fairly sparkled. She had run a wet comb through her curls and they framed her face charmingly. Her lips were of unusual color. Her eyes shone "Golly, Sue, what have you done to yourself?" Allen asked

armiringly She answered gayly, glance toward Bob. He seemed as usual save for a certain look of strain about his eyes. Perhaps he, too, had been fighting a battle with conscience, she thought a little pityingly. How absurd that she couldn't put an end to the situation now, in a few forthright

"You love Pats, Bob, and Allen will be glad to be rid of her. As for me, I'm counting the days, the hours, until I can marry Eric Farraday. Let's all plan, like the

sensible persons we are!' The words very nearly escaped would have, she thought later, if it had not been for her brother. Allen's sensitive face, lighted now with happiness in beng with his dearly loved sister, checked them almost as they left her lips. No, better do the thing more decorously. The day after Christmas she would quietly leave the house, take a bus to Kansas City, and from there a plane to New York. She would not talk to Bob, she would write. No need now to distress herself or him by the interview she had

planned. queerly hilarious Christmas. Bob seemed in wild spirits though now and then he fell into fits of brooding which. Sue thought, she would not have observed had it not been for what she knew of him. Pats on the contrary was quieter than usual. Only her new attitude of tenderness toward Bob betrayed her. Sue was gayest of them all. If it was a brittle sort of gayety, if her laugh had a feverish note, no one seemed to realize it.

Continued tomorrow.

Walton News

By Anna J. McCoy Church Notes: Confessions on

hursday afternoon and evening preparation for first Friday, mmunion on first Friday at 00, 6:15 and 6:30 and mass at

There will be a dance in St. Mary's hall this evening, under the auspices of the Young La-

Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Matherley were Christmas guests at the home of Mrs. Matherley's parents, r. and Mrs. J. L. Carrington. Miss Edna and Viola Dempsey had as Christmas guests, their uncle and aunt. Thomas Flannery and sister Margaret of Amboy. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Payne spent Christmas in Kenosha, Wis..

Patsy Rothler of Rockton is isiting at the J. L. Carrington

Miss Frances Gillan is entertaining her friend, Miss Mary Blackburn of Harmon, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Malley hristmas holidays in Aurora. Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCoy and

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCoy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeser, had Christmas dinner at he P. H. Morrissey and Harold Lawler homes in Amboy. The first American almanac

was published by William Pierce. of Cambridge, in 1639.

FRANKLIN GROVE

Miss Grace Pearl

If you miss yeur paper, call Howard Karper

Mrs. Paul Myers and son Jimmy of Aurora were guests from Fri-day until Sunday in the home of parents, Dr. and Mrs. Frank

Miss Bertha Reigle who teaches school in Chicago came Thursday and remained over the new year with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. with her par W. L. Reigle. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hicks of

this place, with Wallace Hicks of Dixon were entertained with a duck supper Thursday evening in the home of the men's brother, George Hicks at Lee Center. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holbrook and family and her mother, Mrs. Mentzar of Dixon were dinner

guests New Years day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Herrera. John Howard and daughter Miss May, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hain and son John, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard and family en joyed New Years dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank How-

Ann in Ashton. Dr. and Mrs. Frank Banker and grandson David Knapp and Horace Dysart motored to Autora Monday where they enjoyed their New Years dinner in the home of

ard and daughter, Miss Dorothy

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Myers. Jack Johnson came out from Chicago Caturday to spend the week-end and New Years in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill

Morgan. Mr. and Mrs. George Schultz. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller and son Gerald were dinner guests Sunday of William Naylor and Mrs. Sadie Blaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ives motored to Minonk Sunday and remained until Monday afternoon in the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. E.

Mrs. Zilphia Peterman of Oregon was a Saturday guest in the um. home of Mrs. Ada Peterman and T

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lott entertained for dinner New Years day chairman, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lott, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lott, Mr. and Mrs. er, Mrs. Alta Chiles, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spratt and daughters of Chicago were week

end and New Years day guests in the home of her brother Elwin Miss Darlene Buck returned to North, Manchester, Indiana Monday after having spent the holidays in the home of her parents

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Buck. Superintendent and Mrs. Neil A.

Miss Arlene Ives went to Min-Wednesday where she re-

mained in the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Duncan until Monday. Miss Darlene Buck entertained June Miller, Howard Byer and Merel Cluts with dinner Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buck

Miss Winnifred Brecunier spent the week-end and New Years day in the home of her cousins, Misses Ethel and Frances Crawford in

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Patch had as their guests New Years day Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Patch of Am-boy, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spratt and daughters of Chicago; and Mrs. Roy Shoemaker and Mrs. Mary Patch of this place. Francis Thomas of Chicago

Charles Kelley home. Mrs. Maude Wicker of Granite City was a guest over the week-end in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Erickson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Patch and son Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shoemaker were dinner guests on Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Patch in Amboy.

pent Friday and Saturday in the

Miss Georgia Peterman turned from Eureka Sunday where she is attending the Eureka college.

Married Fifty Years

Mr. and Mrs. William Herbst en-

tert and with a turkey dinner on Saturday honoring his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herbst who were celebrating their golden wedding anniversary. Those precent to enjoy the happy event besides the Herbst family members were their daughter, Miss lice Herbst, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stultz and sons Scott and Douglas. A lovely cake with miniature bride and bridegroom was the centerpiece. and Mrs. Herbat have spent most of their married life on a farm between this place and the

Nachusa corners on the Lincoln highway. They both are well known in Nachusa and this place.

All of their friends are extending

best wishes for many more years

of happy wedded life

New Year's Dinner Mrs. Eva Miller and daughter Miss Eunice entertained for ner New Years day Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller and son Clifford. and Mrs. George Miller and daughter, Miss Vivian, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gleim, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Colwell and son Donnie, Mr. and Mrs. Will Black and family, Mrs. Rebecca Colwell, Mrs. Virgie Crawford, Mrs. Elizabeth Crawford and the Misses Eunice and Lucy Gilbert.

W. C. T. U. Notes The W. C. T. U. will meet on Friday, January 5, at the home of Mrs. S. L. Cover. Owing to illness the meeting place has been changed from the Mrs. Blocher to the Cover home. This being the first meeting of the year, the roll call will be "a new years thought." The regular day of prayer, always observed in January by the W. C. U. everywhere, will be part of the program. A good attendance is hoped for, and as always visit-

Sunday Dinner Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Millen entertained for dinner Sunday, his mother and sister. Mrs. Eva Miller and daughter Eunice, and Mrs. Allen. The Miller famlily members who recently lost | Butterbaugh.

HOLD EVERYTHING!



"No, no! That's no way to die-you gotta be more life-

everything when their house burned, are now nicely located in the garage which they made over into a living room. Their friends have been very liberal and extremely kind in giving them usearticles to start over with. Words fail the Millers to express their appreciation of the many kindnesses shown them.

Woman's Club Notes The regular meeting of Woman's club will be held Monday afternoon, January 8, at 2 o'clock in the Kersten gymnasi-

The program for the afternoon is in charge of the fine arts department, Mrs. Myrtle Emmert, chairman, with her committee composed of Mrs. Katherine Cov-Mrs. Lester Lott, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Dy-Mary Jean, L. A. Trottnow and son Lowell, Misses Drucie Lookingland, Fern Lott, Anna Belle The following program will be Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Stuitz and daughter Judith, and Mrs. Katheryn Conlon enjoyed dinner Monday with Miss Maude Conlon at Po will be discussed in parts, as follows: 1. What it includes; 2. How it applies to our to our culture; 3. Two phases in particular (a.) painting, (b.) music; 4. What effect these arts have on

bring paintings, either pictures or china, which will be on display

Fox spent Saturday and Sunday in Milwaukee.

Miss Frances Kelley enjoyed the holidays in the home of her sister, Mrs. George Knouse in Dixon.

Miss Frances Kelley enjoyed the holidays in the home of her sister, a convention here on that date.

May evening at the Catholic parsonage by the Rev. Fr. Joseph K. McNamee.

A meeting was held at the Palmyra town hall Wednesday after-

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cluts, Mr. and Mrs. Will Black and family Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hood, Harlan cago where he purchased a fire Cluts. Mr. and Mrs. Claire Hood, new soda fountain which will be Cluts, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ventler and son were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cluts and his mother, Mrs. Amanday Cluts in Rochelle.

Food and Bake Sale The Ever Ready class of the Presbyterian Sunday school with their teacher, Mrs. Foster Mat-tern, will hold a food and bake sale Saturday, Jan. 6 in the Utz building. The sale will begin at 10 o'clock, so that you may have hot food for your dinner. will be baked beans, dressed chicken, biscuits, cakes, many other good things.

Retires as Manager Harry M. Eicholtz, general manfor the Chicago & North-Western railroad, retired from service Dec. 30 after fifty years of service. He entered the service in 1890 at Nachusa, his birthplace, and became general manager in Mr. Eicholtz is a cousin of Will and E. L. Lott of this place and has many friends in this com-

munity. Remembered Birthday

The regular meeting of the Presbyterian Aid society was held Thursday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. W. L. Reigle. After the usual order of business had been disposed of, a social time was enjoyed, during which time lovely refreshments which time lovely were served to the forty who were present. The ladies somehow discovered that the following day, Friday, was Mrs. Reigle's birthday anniversary and she was given a handkerchief over thirty handkerchiefs were given Mrs. Reigle in appreciation of the good work she is doing in Mrs. Reigle has a the Aid society. large circle of friends who are wishing her many more happy birthday anniversaries.

Entertained With Cards Mrs. Jesse Floto entertained with cards Friday afternoon in the Mrs. Alfred Tice home in Dixon. Those present were: Mrs. Harry Kint, Mrs. Cecil Cravens, Mrs. LeRoy Miller, Mrs. Howard Biesecker, Miss Esther Ling, Mrs. Warren Mong Mrs. David Weigle.

After cards lovely refreshments

were enjoyed.

Church Supper The Aid society of the Methodist church will have theier annual supper January 18. Watch for more details.

Loyal Daughters-Crusaders Banquet

About 40 members, teachers and friends of the Loyal Daughters and Crusaders classes of the Church of the Brethren enjoyed together the 18th annual Loyal Daughter - Crusaders which was held at the church on Thursday evening, Dec. 28. The toastmistress. Arlene Beachley, introduced the follow-

ng program: Welcome—Hazel Blume. Response-Russell Group. songs, led by Adeline

Reading-Elizabeth Chronister. Solo, "Star of the East"-Ione Reading-Ila Blocher. The toastmistress expressed

some beautiful thoughts and read a poem in looking to the new year. Members of the Loyal Daughters class presented the Christmas story in pantomime. Darlene Buck read the story as transcribed by Anne Ditzler, and the music was furnished by a trio composed of Ila Blocher, Eliza-beth Chronister and Adeline beth Chronister and Adeline Smith, accompanied on the organ by Barbara Kohl.

The benediction was pronounced by the Rev. S. L. Cover. Members of the Willing Workers class served the dinner while Mrs. R. W. Smith, Mrs. E. R. Buck, Mrs. George Ehmen and Mrs. S. W. Zimmerman had charge

of the kitchen. The banquet on alternate years is served by the Crusaders to the Loyal Daughters, and vice versa. It is eagerly anticipated each year as a reunion of the members

Outstanding News of Dixon and Vicinity In the Past (From Dixon Telegraph)

Miss Bridget Larkin and Joseph Miller were married Wednesday evening at the Catholic par-

38 YEARS AGO

noon to discuss the right of way for an electric line from Dixon to Sterling. Fred Tillson, the Dementtown

druggist, has returned from Chie

installed about April 1.

25 YEARS AGO Warren Lievan this morning purchased the Soda Grill at 109 First street from Lee Mathias. Benjamin S. Schildberg claims to have the first spring chickens of the year, a setting of white rocks which hatched yesterday. Mayor William B. Brinton today

received the appointment to membership on the Illinois state board of the American Red Cross.

10 YEARS AGO Mr. and Mrs. George Bates, who conduct a service station south of Amboy, report having been held up and robbed Wednesday night by a youthful masked bandit who took \$11. A. E. Tayman has gone to Rock-ford where he will manage the

Hayes hotel. Obituary

MRS. JEMIMA SINDLINGER (Contributed)

Jemima Sindlinger, (nee Fox) was born on April 4, 1855 in South Dixon township of Lee county, Ill., and passed from this life from her home at 409 N. tawa Ave., Dixon. on morning, Dec. 21, 1939, at the age of 84 years, 8 months and 27 days. The Fox family later moved to ary 1939; Ward, who died in 1917 while serving in the U. S. Army; and Mrs. Pearl Shultz of Dixon, who survives to mourn her mother's passing. The Sindlinger's removed to Dixon in 1890 and have resided here for about fifty years. Mr. Sindlinger passed away in

Mrs. Sindlinger was converted to the Christian way of life in her routh and joined the Fairhaven Evangelical church under the minministry of Rev. L. B. Tobias. In 1892 she and twelve others were charter members in the organiz-ing of the Grace Evangelical hurch of Dixon and of which church she had been a faithful member for more than 47 years, olding offices of trust in the varous organizations of the church. To her Christian life and service

we pay hearty tribute. On January 2, 1940 the funeral was held in the Grace Evangelical church of Dixon, with the pastor, the Rev. Geo. D. Nielsen officiat-ing. Interment was in the Oakwood cemetery, Dixon.

To release autos that have been

trapped on railroad tracks after

the gates have been swung, a new type of gate will swing up after the car contacts it with at least 25 pounds pressure.

Scheduled as charities, Eton College, Harrow School, and the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge in England, do not pay income taxes.

a farm at Fair Haven, Ill., where our sister grew to womanhood. In 1880 she was married to Leonard Sindlinger. To this union three children were born: Arthur, who passed away in Chicaago in Janu-

FANFARE



TOO COLD The Dixon Archery club has postponed its weekly shooting event scheduled for tonight because of the extreme cold weather. The G string might snap-or sumpin.

RESOLUTIONS FULFILLED

adopted some New Year's resolutions Monday and last evening proceeded to carry them out to the letter in their first meeting with the fire department team headed by Captain Dave Kelly. So sincere were the visitors that they went home satisfied and contented with a 21 to 11 victory chalked up for their first 1940 session. The score was an exact reversal of the last meeting of the two teams in which the firemen emerged the victors, minus the resolutions, by a 21 to 11

LOCAL KEGLERS DEFEATED Sterling defeated Dixon, 2817 to 2533 in a special match game at the Sterling Recreation alleys New Year's day. Eddie Worley of the locals was high man for his quintet with a 566 series and a high game of 210. Haug rolled 637 for the win-

ROCKFORD WINS TWO

The Rockford state champions defeated West Aurora, 24 to 29 41 to 13 victory. in the heavyweight game last night while the Rab lightweights completed the picture with a 27 to 25 victory.

Don't let the cold keep you away from the games at the high school gym tonight where the industrial league resumes its schedule of games. Those boys are putting on some good shows over there and deserve your support. If you like basketball, you'll see it in all its phases at the industrial league games. Tonight the Soda Grill and Reynolds meet in the first game at 7:15 o'clock and the Knacks, defending champions, and Bordens will clash in the nightcap.

MENDOT				De	De	To-
	Earl-	La-	De		Pue	tal
Player, Pos.— Amboy	ville	Salle	Kalb	Pue		
(18)	(35)	(50)	(49)	(24)	(17)	(193)
Schmitz, forward 3	1	2	12	9	8	35
Schiller, forward	6	12	4	5	5	40
Spenader, forward 8	0	6	5	4	8	28
Besenfelder, forward 5	10	7	6	è	11	48
Whitmore, center 4	12	,	0	9		5
Harjes, guard 2	1	0	0	2		2
Krenz, guard 0		0		0	2	THE STREET STREET
Lathrop,, guard 2	5	1	5	7	0	20
Edwards, forward		0		0		(
		0	0	4	0	4
Eddy, center	• • •	2	7	5	3	17
Seno, guard		-				
	0.5	30	39	44	37	199
Totals24	25	30				

Boxing Begins the New Year With Black Eyes Received During 1939

champions.

At least we have accomplished

something this year which is, in

our opinion, very beneficial to the

game. We have done away entire-

eminently unfair to the top-rank

ing boys in at least two of the di-

About Referee Selecting

Allowing a promoter or manager

to insist that some one special ref-

eree be designated to officiate in

a bout is another practice that

should be eliminated. Practically

every state which has legalized

boxing has competent, honest ref-

erees on its staff, and these are the

men whom the various boxing

commissions should appoint to

All of the above seems a pretty

hard arraignment of present-day

boxing. But it is a true picture of

what we have to contend with to-

day. There is no doubt at all that

Johnson of Colorado and Repre-

ask for an investigation of boxing

with the idea of eliminating abuses

by appointing a governing officer

or power similar to Commissioner

in the motion picture industry.

Landis in baseball and Will Hays

er and clean house, then it is a

the outside will be called in to do

By EDWARD C. FOSTER Secretary, National Boxing Association

Providence, R. I., Jan. 3-(AP) -Boxing is in a bad way as it ly with two-title and three-title goes into the New Year,

It is staggering and reeling This is not intended in any way from the repeated beating it took to detract from that marvelous during 1939, beatings handed out fighter, Henry Armstrong, who by the very men who should be its held three titles at one time. Nevmost ardent supporters and who ertheless, such a procedure was make their living from the game.

One has to go back a great many years to find a like condition. The present situation has been growing for the past few years, as is evidenced by such cases as have come to public notice-the Jack Torrance case in Louisiana, the Adamick-Trammell case in Illinois, and last year the Harry Thomas

Many Minor Situations But these are only the highlights of what has occurred. Many other minor situations have arisen which had a tendency to give boxing a black eye in the minds of

that boxing promoters and socalled boxing managers (many of the idea into their heads that the their game, knows just as much and probably a great deal more about the fighters than do boxing commissions, promoters and man-

Then why is it that a promoter will try to foist upon the public matches which he knows are ested in boxing do not get togethreally not matches at all, but only exhibitions and which, even as exhibitions, would be classed as

OHIO STATE, WISCONSIN AND

IOWA BEGIN BIG TEN RACE

Chicago, Jan. 3 .- (AP) - Ohio

haven't anything to fear from the

after two victories.

California at Columbus. All other

teams already have completed

of Purdue. The Boilermakers.

California, admittedly top-notch

the job for them.

The preliminary scuffling left Illinois, Indiana and Northwestern WITH POOR RECORDS SO FAR

State, Iowa and Wisconsin CONNIE MACK DOES NOT PICK YANKS TO REPEAT

can't do any worse than they have Connie Mack, who can look back competition Saturday night with was not picking the New York the least imposing records of any

"New York has a good club, Wisconsin, the only Big Ten team but so has Boston, Cleveland and in action last night, bowed to Detroit, and with any kind of Stanford, 39 to 26, for the breaks they'll give the Yankees Badgers' fourth straight setback plenty of trouble," the venerable veteran of the Philadelphia Ath-Ohio State, defending cham-

He hinted the A's, who lost 18 then fell before Kentucky, Pittsburgh and Cornell in succession. might even cause trouble in 1940.

last year and the Yankees won't lege and Illinois college were win anything like 18 games from their preliminary battling, with 48 us again."

The Athletics open spring train- Northern Illinois Teachers were on October 26. sin are the only conference teams ing at Anaheim, Calif., Feb. 20 which have lost more than one and play the opening game of a

their two conquerors being De- of the total tax revenue of the higher than for the same period will result in conviction of the Canada, attend Sunday school by Paul of Chicago and Southern 48 states is provided by motorists, of 1937.

Mendota Vs. Dukes Friday Eve

High School Teams Resume Campaigns

POLO LOSES IN DOUBLEHEADER WITH ALUMNI

Captain George Schultz and his Franklin Grove cribbage team Marcos Go to Morrison For Conference Tilt Friday Night

> Coach Owen J. Rolston's Polo basketball team, defending champions of the Rock River conference. lost its fourth game of the current season last night to the alumni, 36 to 22. Several boys who figured prominently in last year's championship were back to hand the high school its defeat.

> In the lightweight game the alumni made it unanimous with a

In the first quarter of the varsity encounter the Marcos were held scoreless while the ex-champions rolled up eight points. In the second period the high school got its wind and scored 14 points while the grads continued to pound the basket for nine more points and the half ended with the high school trailing, 17 to 14. Rally Ends

The high school's improvement didn't last and the students were outscored, 8 to 1, in the third stanza and 11 to 7 in the final.

Scoring honors for the game went to Kriebel of the alumni with seven points on three field goals and one, free toss. Kroh and only to increase the tension for Grossnickle each added six points to the winner's final count. Waters scored six points to pace

the high school. The Polo team will play at Morrison Friday night in a Rock River conference game.

Alumni (36)

Grossnickle, f	2	2	2	6
Kaufman, f		0	2 3	2
Woodruff, c		2	3	4 7
Kriebel, c		1	2	7
		0		5
Typer, g			0	2 3
N. Smith, g		1	2	3
Weaver, g	0	0		0
Schryver, g	1	0	2	2
Totals	15	6	16	36
Polo (22)		-	-	
2010 (34)	Fg	F	t F	T
Waters. f		0	_	
Danie			-	
Beck, f	-	1		0
C. Smith, c				
Dusing, g	. 0		0	1
				11
Finkle, g		0	0	0
	0	0	1	5
Finkle, g	2	1	1	5
Finkle, g	0 2 - 9	1 4	1	

BASKETBALL SCORES

TUESDAY'S COLLEGE SCORES (By The Associated Press)

Detroit 47: Nebraska 46. Stanford 39; Wisconsin 26. Ohio 78; Buffalo 23. Duquesne 47; Colorado 45. Tennessee 39; Lincoln Memorial

Evansville 61: DePauw 37 Monmouth 41; Iowa Wesleyan

Georgia 51: Mercer 41 Western Kentucky Teachers 40. Anderson (Ind.) 42; Kalamazoo

Penn State 55; Akron 20. George Washington 49; Clem Canisius (Buffalo) 42; Cornell

TUESDAY'S ILLINOIS PREP RESULTS East Moline 31; Prophetstown

lora 30; Clay City 17. Urbana 28: Decatur 25. Windsor 26: Sullivan 21. Stewardson 41; Tower Hill 27 Cerro Gordo 24; Arcola 17. Paris 33: Pana 30. Casey 25; Greenup 23. Hutsonville 24; St. Francisville

WESLEYAN LOSES ONE GAME BUT WINS CHAMPIONSHIP OF HOLIDAY TOURNAMENT

Bloomingon, Illl. Jan. 3-(AP) Illinois Weslevans lost one game but wound up with the championship in the holiday college basket- regulars would return to harness.

double-elimination basis until the Five men will be missing from ing necessary for elimination in the quarters during the season. that, or the final round. Wesleyan dropped a 36-28 decis-

on to Southern Illinois Teachers Murder Charge Against in the quarter-finals, but came back to defeat this same teacher five in the semi-finals. 32 to 31. In measure of hitherto unbeaten St. Joseph's of Collegeville, Ind., 37

finals with a double victory over first games Monday, when cen-

United States new car registra- that with more time for further tions for the first quarter of 1938 investigation we will be able to

North Central, Rock River and Route 72 ARMORY CAGERS Conferences Have Full Card Friday Night

At DeKalb the Belvidere

defending champions will be

fighting for supremacy

against a club coached by Jim

Trees which now tops the cir-

cuit with two victories (Men-

dota and Princeton). The

Barbs, having snatched the

crown in the football season,

is seeking to make it unani-

mous with basketball. How-

ever, showing the DeKalbers

can be defeated are the losses

to Batavia in the holiday

tournament and to the alumni

and lost two thus far in the sea-

Belvidere has won five games

In the third North Central game

Sterling will invade the den of

third league game and second for

Sterling. In previous encounters

the Princeton team, new to the

roughly handled by DeKalb and

Belvidere and the Tigers in nine

games have won four. Sterling, on

the other hand, has won four

games while losing two. It will be

the Brandau-men's first encounter

since their triumph over Dixon be-

Non-Conference Game

Of the seven teams in the Rock

River loop, Oregon is the only one

gagement with the visit of Peca-

The Hawks have won two of

At Amboy the Welty-men

will be hosts to Rock Falls

in the second game of the

season for the invaders who

bowed to Rochelle, 25 to 24,

in their opener. Amboy has

counted victories over Stew-

ard and Polo while losing to

Lee Center, Mendota and Ro-

chelle in scheduled games and

to DeKalb in the holiday

Polo which last night dropped

36 to 22 decision to the alumni.

will go to Morrison Friday night

West End conference tournament

Polo, the defending champions of

the circuit, have hit a snag this

tournament staged by

their five games thus far.

fore Christmas.

and East Aurora.

GAMES THIS WEEK Friday Night *Rock Falls at Amboy with 48 points, Spenader, forward, Ashton at Monroe Center *Belvidere at DeKalb with 40 and Schmitz with 35 *Kirkland at Forreston Franklin Grove at Byron Kings at Lee Lee Center at Hennepin *Mendota at Dixon

*Polo at Morrison *Rochelle at Mt. Morris Pecatonica at Oregon Leland at Paw Paw *Sterling at Princeton Steward at Shabbona *Leaf River at Stillman Valley

*Freeport at East Aurora Saturday Night Mt. Morris at Leaf River Sycamore at Oregon Dixon at Rochelle Hampshire at Kirkland * Conference Games

After this week is over, the North Central, Rock River and Route 72 conferences are going to look as if a match had been dropped in a munitions plant. Ten league games-each a stick of dynamite-will explode in the faces of loyal non-combatants.

The five pre-holiday games in the North Central loop served circuit this season, has been 1940. In Dixon the Dukes will be hosts to the Mendota squad Friday night in the third conference game for the "Sharpeshooters" and the second for Mendota. The visitors had their fingers burned during an invasion by DeKalb just before Christmas and on the same night the Dukes bowed to Sterling. Dixon already has the Belvidere victory to poise the standings at a

Following the victory over Freeport in between the holidays the Dukes have come to be regarded with awe by conference rivals, However, Mendota is out to blast Dixon from the perch just as the locals did the Freeport Pretzels. There's not a chance of it being a pushover Friday night and no wise Dixon player is regarding it as such.

Mendota in six games played this season has counted victories only over DePue (2) and Amboy rolled up an impressive total of 199 points as compared to the rivals' 193. Those who have succeeded in rolling over the Mendota ma- to tangle with the winners of the chine have been DeKalb, Earlville and LaSalle, all by decisive concluded during the holidays.

Standing abreast with the best season and have been defeated by

High Scores

Next New Year's

New Orleans, Jan. 3-(AP) -

Any Rip Van Winkle who started

Eve might awake and pick up

just where he left off-in time to

It's just a possibility and not

fought each other all over the

The Texas Aggies, who beat Tu-

lane 14-13 after winning all 10

games in their regular season.

left word behind as they headed

back to the great plains yester-

day that they might be even

greater in the coming campaign.

a reminder that eight of their

And they backed that up with

Tulane loses 10 regulars-but

peat their 1939 records.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL RULES Sugar Bowl May ATTACKED AS NATIONAL See Same Teams ASSOCIATION GATHERS

Palm Springs, Calif., Jan. 3. (AP)-The college football rule book took a hammering from all sides today as the rules commita 12-month nap on New Year's tee of the National Collegiate Athletic Association debated pos-

Convening in annual session see Texas A. & M. in the Sugar the group was expected to wind Bowl with Tulane on January 1, up its affairs tonight or tomorrow. Present to offer recommendations of the American Football Coaches association was another a prediction, but the teams that committee headed by Lou Little Columbia, but it remained lot Monday will be back next fall problematical whether the rules with clubs that might well rebody would adopt the grid men-

tors' suggestions. Included in the propositions were moves to lower the goal post cross-bar and widen the distance between the uprights, which would invite more tries for field goals, and reduction of the penalty from 15 yards to five yards if a pass strikes an ineligible pass

Considerable agitation has been stirred up to permit passing anywhere behind the line of scrimmage, instead of five or more yards back, but it was not known how much attention this matter would receive.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press) New York—Aurel Toma, 120% Rumania, and Pablo Dano, 122 Philippine Islands, drew, (8).

hampion, outcointed Leo Rodak New York-Larry Kellun, 15714 day upon request of Prosecuting Bozeman, Mont., knocked out Enzo Ianozzi, 160%, Italy, (5). IN FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS

> captain-elect mer Pennsylvania coach. DISTANCE MAN Ann Arbor -Noel Selman, one

Hanover, N. H .- Lou Young,

were approximately 37 per cent produce more direct evidence that the remotest sections of western killer," Prosecutor Johnson said correspondence,

of the neighborhood cagers are the Leaf River, Amboy, Mt. Morris, high scorers of the Mendota team and the grads while winning only who include Whitmore, center, the contest with Lanark. Rochelle at Mt. Morris

In the third Rock River game Rochelle will play at Mt. Morris Other North Central conference as the two teams now tied for games Friday night include Belvi- first place in the league standdere at DeKalb and Sterling at ings-battle it out for supremacy. Each has won two conference to Dixon before the helidays and the Hubs will be hosts to the Dukes for a second game on Saturday night.

Mt. Morris stands on the great divide with three victories and an equal number of defeats. Losses have been suffered to the alumni, Mt. Carroll and Byron and administered to Oregon, Polo and Leaf River.

All eight teams of the Route 72 conference will renew action Friday night with the league-leading Monroe Center club seeking its fifth victory with the invasion of Ashton, he Aces have won only one loop game this season against Franklin Grove while bowing to the Princeton Tigers for the hosts' Stillman Valley and Leaf River.

> Monroe Center has defeated Forreston, Stillman Valley, Byron and Leaf River in conference games and the leaders have rolled up a total of 152 points as compared to 91 by the rivals. Leaf River which has also

won four league games but also shows one defeat, will play at Stillman Valley in another Route 72 game.

John Mitchell's Franklin Grove team which has counted one win and one defeat in the circuit will playing in a non-conference engo to Byron to meet a team which has suffered three defeats.

Fourth Game In the fourth Route 72 game Kirkland with one win and one

court, the home of the luckless team which has dropped four loop decisions this season and whose complete schedule shows eight defeats and only one victory over Pearl City. Other evening's entertain-

ment in the neighborhood will include: Kings at Lee, Lee Center at Hennepin, Leland at Paw Paw, Steward at Shabbona and Freeport at East Aurora. No conference games are scheduled for Saturday night but Mt. Morris will play at Leaf River, Sycamore at Oregon, Dixon at Rochelle and Hampshire at Kirkland in inter-conference engage-

Predicts Center Jump Reinstated

Andreas, who has kicked around this basketball game nearly two decades, figures the time is comwhen separate sets of rules "horse-race" court snort.

that the rules will be changed for younger players, the high schoolers. He pointed out that at a recent meeting of educators an up-state physician reported tests showed the high-pressure action in present basketball causes increased blood pressure and strain "So it's altogether likely," An-

ELMHURST TRACK MEET

Elmhurst college officials announced today the school's eighth annual intercollegiate invitational

HOCKEY SCORES

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS (B) The Associated Press) National League New York Rangers 6; Boston (Only game scheduled).

WIN OVERTIME **GAME LAST EVE**

White Sinks Winning Goal in Game With Oregon Team

The National Guaro put down another riot last night. The Dempsey, back from Manila \$7,-Dixon Armory cagers were hosts 500 richer, is considering opening to the Oregon Independents and a spot in Chicago's loop . . . Art the army's strategy finally tri- Rooney, owner of the Pittsburgh games. Rochelle's only loss was umphed in an overtime period, 28 football Pirates, has asked fans

> The score was knotted at 26-all at the end of the regulation time and it was White's bucket in the overtime period which meant sudden death to the invading club. gram: "The south greeted 1940 The contest began with the lo- with mixed emotions . . . Tennescals taking the lead in the first see and Tulane were knocked off canto, 8 to 2, and they led at but 'Gone With the Wind' is still the half, 16 to 8.

Oregon Railies

In the third period the Oregon boys showed their independence ting horse driver who won just and scored 10 points while hold- about everything in sight last ing the locals to another eight. Year, has a pure white filly in his In the final frame the visitors winter stable at Pinehurst. Been forged ahead 26 to 22 in the closing minutes. Crabtree came through to sink a bucket to bring names: A lad named Vandenthe locals nearer to the top and it was White's basket in the last five seconds of play which knotted the score and gave the locals their winning overtime.

Scoring honors for the game went to White at forward for the winners. He was trailed closely by Crabtree with 10 counters.

Holman paced the Oregon crew with nine tallies and his mates Jenkins and Tremble each accounted for eight.

A tentative game was scheduled Robinson, the U. C. L. A. grid for tonight between the Armory star . . . Carl Reynolds, the outclub and state hospital employes. fielder recently canned by the Box score: Oregon Independents (26)

Tremble, f 4 0 Holman, f Tzek, c 0 Jenkins, g 4 loss will play on the Forreston Verona, g 0 0 0 12 2 1 26 Crabtree, f 5

Score by Quarters Armory 8 8 8 2 2—28 Oregon 2 6 10 8 0—26

AROUND THE COURTHOUSE

DEEDS

Wm. S. Hart, et ux QCD to Nellie S. Hart, et al \$1.00 ½ int. e½ sw¼; e½ se¼ Sec. 2 Bradford

Martha C. Smith, et hus WD to

Walter E. Acker \$10 1/2 int. e1/2 nw1/4 Hec. 24; e1/2 sw1/4 Sec. 24 Mary M. Barton et hus WD to Wilbur R. Welch, et hus \$1.00 pt members and a Lts 12 & 13 & 48 Park Manor Sub for the dinner.

Edwin C. Parson WD to Patrick McNamara \$1.00 Lts 5 & 6 B 60 Dement's 3rd Add to Dixon.

Geo. E. Richards et ux WD to Floyd T. LaFever \$1.00 Lts 16 & 17 E. C. Parsons Hillcrest Add

ment Schuler \$1.00, same. Ruth E. Weaver QCD to Henry Wilkins et ux \$10 9/20 acres in Pt Sec. 35 Nachusa-China.

Henry A. Wilkins et ux WD to Ruth E. Weaver \$10, same. John Vaupel, et al QCD to Mary E. Charters \$1.00 s 66 ft L 1, B 3 Paddock & Williams Add Ashton. Mary E. Charters QCD to Roy C. & Amanda H. Heibenthal \$1.00 Z. W. Moss et ux WD to Louis T. Sampson, et ux \$1.00 pt sw¼ Sec 32 Dixon. Z. W. Moss et ux WD to Fred

Eicholtz \$1.00 land north and adjoining Adelheid Sub. Dixon.
Ralph N. Grundall WD to R. E. R. E. Williams WD to Real Est. & Loan Serv. Bureau, same.

RELEASES Prud. Ins. Co. to Rose Plein. Hubbard Milling Co. to Harry

General Mills. Inc. to C. J sons, et al. Henry C. Warner to Martha C. et hus Nat Bk. of Sterling to Herbert Dixon Loan & Bldg to Harry

ENUMERATORS BUSY Chicago - Enumerators were

busy today on the 1910 census of business and industries in the Chi- son, of Red River, Kodiak Island, cago area, the territory including Lake and Cook counties in Illinois and Lake county, Indiana. Under the direction of George

W. Schreech and his assistant, Maj. Walter R. Jeffrew, the 139 half a dozen boats including one track and field meet would be held enumerators were equipped with 147 different question and answer unassisted and fought off various plants and 13 other forms for busi-

> VIOLATIONS COSTLY paid fines averaging \$15.79 this

GOSSIP D New York, Jan. 3 .- (AP)-The edition to see what will happen those good-looking Chicago freshmen. They hope the Big Ten will declare 'em free agents so they can receive offers from other schools . . . Here's an idea: The Atlanta Touchdown club will show movies of the four big bowl games January 19 . . . Jack

BRIETZ'

ROUNDUP OF SPORTS

Today's Guest Star.

Tom Meany, N. Y. World-Teleunbeaten."

to suggest a new nickname for

Dr. Hugh Parshall, the trota long time since one of those has been around . . . Add names is driessche is playing basketball dith the Bethlehem academy team at Faribault, Minn. . . . The Edmonton grads, with a victory string of 147 in a row that ended in 1922 and the Rochester N. Y. Filarets, with 85 (modern mark) seem to have the edge in the girls basketball longest-winningstreak contest.

smart basketball coach, says the best cager on the coast is Jackie Cubs, may catch on as coach of their Los Angeles branch.

Nibs Price, California U.'s

Poet's Corner. (From the San Diego Tribune-The gridder who made

The fans' hearts throb Now finds it tough To land a job.

MENDOTA

Mrs. Bertha Ossman 311 Seventh Avenue Phone 266L

Chimney Fire The fire department was called to the home of Otto Ellingen, 804 Indiana avenue, Tuesday after-noon about 4 o'clock. A defective chimney had caused a fire between

the walls. The extent of damage has not been estimated.

Kiwanis Club The Mendota Kiwanis club ob-served Ladies' Night and installed the new officers for 1940 at their first meeting in the new year, Tuesday evening, Jan. 2 at the members and guests were present

Dr. Paul White of Bloomington, district governor, was guest speaker. Michael Bender of Spring Valley and Stanley Fisher were song leaders.

Junior Woman's Club The Mendota Junior Woman's club held their first meeting for the year 1940 at the home of Mrs. Hattie Eckert, Tuesday evening, Rev. John Goodpasture was guest speaker. Light refreshments were served.

J. F. F. Club Mrs. Ross Hochkiss entertained the members of the J. F. F. club at the home of Mrs. Hattie Eckert, Tuesday afternoon. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Izora Kidd, Mrs. Anna Saueressig second, Mrs. Ina Jones low and Mrs. Margaret Moyer, traveling prize.

Mendota Briefs Mr. and Mrs. Nickoles Phalen Jr. are parents of a daughter born t their home Sunday, Dec. 31. Mrs. Thomas McDonald, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Krenzz and grandson, Den-nis Grenz of Mendota, also Mrs. Politsch of Texas and Mrs. Theo. Etzbach of Paw Paw visited Mrs. Zada Kopp in Aurora, Tuesday. Mrs. Politsch, who has been visiting her parents and sisters for the past two weeks will return to her home in Texas today. Mrs. Walter Neff, who has been ill at her home for the past sev-eral months, was taken to St. Mary's hospital in LaSalle, Sunay afternoon.

Joseph Full submitted to a ma-

jor operation Tuesday. CAN'T KEEP HER INACTIVE Anchorage, Alaska - (AP) -What's one arm to a good man? Nothing, so far as Frank Peter-

Peterson ,a Finn, lost an arm nearly 50 years ago, but in the 42 years he has lived in comparative solitude at Red River, he has built 34 feet long, erected his own house forms concerning manufacturing wilderness perils literally singlehanded.

His every-day feats include rowing a boat, panning for gold and operating a gill-netting fish Columbus, O.—Ohio hunters boat. He earned more than \$1,000 found guilty of hunting violations, at the last-named occupation this

Detroit Widower Dropped by State Attorney

Mt. Clemens, Mich., Jan. 3-(AP) - A first-degree murder charge against Herbert F. Patterson. Detroit automotive engineer, Attorney Ivan A. Johnston.

coroner's jury had named him as found on the kitchen floor of her

Montreal, Canadian featherweight

"Our case against Patterson is of Michigan's newest swimming prospects, is from Sydney, Auslargely circumstantial and we feel

Into Basketball

By SID FEDER

New York, Jan. 3--(AP)-Lew

"This modern game, with the center jump eliminated," the veteran coach of Syracuse basketball said today, "is like watching a table tennis match. The ball is always going back and forth with no stop. It's great to watch, but it puts a severe strain on the youngsters. Physicians have told

The result, he added, may be

dreas went on, "that the center jump will be legislated back into game somewhat and relieve this Coakley pressure on the youngsters. It isn't so bad for college players, Toronto-Dave Castilloux, 132, largely because they're more fully

Dartmouth guard and football

were found.

Markets at a Glance

- (By The Associated Press) Stocks: Strong; steels, motors,
- Bonds: Higher; carriers in Foreign Exchange: Steady: shief rates maintained. trade, foreign
- Cotton: Firm: trade, and Wall Street buying. Sugar: Mixed; Cuban selling; Metals: Quiet; zinc cut to 5%
- cents by major interest.
 Wool Tops: Steady; commission house support.

Chicago-Wheat: Finished %-% lower. Cattle: Choice kinds steady strong; most others weak. Hogs: Active, 15-25 higher.

Chicago Grain Table

Open High Low Close . . 60% 60% OATS-1.21 1.18 1.201 May . 1.21 1.21 1.18 1.2012 July . 1.18 1.18 1.15% 1.17% 761/2 773/8 75% 757/8 75 75 LARD-6.20 6.20 6.00 6.02 Jan. BELLIES-

Chicago Cash Grain

Jan. 6.25

Chicago, Jan. 3—(AP)—Cash wheat No. 3 mixed 1.05½; No. 2 yellow hard 1.08.

Corn No. 4 mixed 59¼; No. 1
yellow 59@60; No. 2, 58¾@60;
No. 3, 58½@59¼.

Oats No. 4 white 40.

Soy beans No. 3 yellow 1.1734.

Timothy seed 4.40@65 nom Red clover seed 12.50@15.00

Red top 8.50@ 9.00 nom. Alsike 14.00@17.00 nom. Alfalfa 17.50@22.50 nom.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Jan. 3—(AP)—Salable hogs 19,000; total 24,000; early early trade generally 10@20 higher than Tuesday's average; closed active, 15@25 up; top 6.00; bulk good and choice 160-220 lbs 5.75@ 95; 220-240 lbs 5.60@80; 240-270 lbs butchers largely 5.40@65; 270-330 lbs averages 5.25@50; good packing sows 400 lbs up 4.25@75; lighter weights up to 4.90.

Salable cattle 11,000; salable calves 1,200; strictly good and choice yearlings, choice steers all weights steady to strong; slow on medium to good grade steers; early sales weak; bulk crop bid around 25 lower; choice heifers steady; others weak; cows scarce. steady; weighty sausage bulls steady; beef cows weak; vealers slow; around steady; early top choice yearlings, also medium-weight steers 11.50; bulk early sales good to choice steers and yearlings 10.50@11.25; choice heif-ers 11.25; bulk crop to sell 9.25 wnward; most beef cows 5.75@ 6.75; canners 4.25@75; few 4.85; weighty sausage bulls largely 7.65 nward; selected vealers 12.50; good to choice lots 11.00@12.00. Salable sheep 7,000; total 9,000; late Tuesday: fat lambs and yearlings strong to 15 higher; sheep steady; lamb top 9.60; limited numbers 9.50; bulk 9.15@40; good yearlings 8.00@10; native ewes 4.00@50; few light weights to 4.75; today's trade: fat lambs and yearlings 15@25 lower, active at decline; good to choice fed wooled lambs 9.00@25; top 9.35 to small killers; sheep about steady; few native slaughter ewes 4.00@50. Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: cattle 5,000; hogs 20,-000; sheep 10,000.

Chicago Produce Chicago, Jan. 3—(AP)—Pota-es 94, on track 225; total U S shipments 522; old stock northern rely steady slightly weaker undertone, western slightly weaker, supplies moderate demand fair; banks U S No. 1, 1.80@90; U S ; Colorado red Mc-Clures U S No. 1, 1.90; Nebraska bliss triumphs 85 per cent or more U S No. 1 washed 2.00@10; unwashed 1.55@65, Michigan russet rurals U S No. 1, 1.30; Minnesota Red river valley section Early Ohios U S commercials 1.15 commercials North Dakota Red river valley section cobblers 75 to 85 per cen U S No. 1, few sales 1.20 a 30; U S No. 1, 1.35; bliss triumphs 80 a 85 per cent U S No. 1, few sales 1.25 new stock unsettled. mand very slow, supplies moderate bu crates U S No. 1, very few sales 2.10 a crate.

Poultry live, 1 car, 41 trucks, irregular; hens 412 lbs up 17, under 41, lbs 15; leghorn hens 13 springs 5 lbs up colored 14, white rock 1512; roosters 10; turkeys; young toms under 18 lbs 14, hens dressed turkevs lower hens box packed 2012; bbl packed 19½; other prices unchanged.
Butter 899.584, firm; creamery 93 score 30½ @31; 92, 30; 91, 29½

2814; 89, 2834; 88, 28; 90 centralized carlots 2915 Eggs 13,035, unsettled; refrigerfirsts 14; other prices unchanged.

Butter futures. storage stds ose Jan. 28.50; Feb 28.30; Mar Egg futures, refrig strs Jan.

Wall Street Close (By The Associated Press)

Allegh 1; Al Chem 17812; All Strs 914: Allis Ch 41%; Am Can three were injured seriously in a 1144; Am Car 3214; Am Loco 22³4; Am Met 24¹4; Am P. Loco 22³4; Am Met 24¹4; Am P. L. 4³4; Am Rad 10¹4; Am R. Mill 17⁵6; Am Smelt 52¹2; Am Stl Fdr 33¹6; A T & T 172¹2; Am Tob B 88¹8; Am Wat Wks 12¹8; Am Zinc 7¹4; Anacon 30³4; Arm Ill 6; A T & S F 25; Atl Refin 21³4; Atl Corp 8⁵8; Av Corp 7¹4; Baid 17⁷8; B & O 6³8; Barnsd Bald 17%; B & O 6%; Barnsd 13; Beatrice 27%; Bendix 31%; Beth Stl 82: Boeing 23: Borden 21%; Beth Stl 82: Boeing 23: Borden 21%; Borg 25%; Cal & Hec 71%; Can Dry 1814; Can Pac 51%; Caterpillar 56; Celanese 3014; Cer de Pas 397%; Cert Teed 71%; C & O 4134; C & N W 3; Chrysler 911%; Coc Cola 120; Colg 1814; Colum G & E 714; Com Cr 4778; Com | four to six young each year.

Sol 147₈; Com & So 13₈; Cont Oil Del 243₄; Corn Pr 655₈; Curt Wr 103₄; Deere 233₈; D L & W 55₈; Dougl 83¹4; Dup 183³4; Eastm 166¹2; G E 40³4; Gen Fds 48; G M 55¹8; Gillette 6¹8; Goodrich 20¹4; Goodyr 24³8; Gra Pg ³4; Gt Nor Ir 18; Gt Nor Ry pf 27¹4; Hydgen Mc 51 C 12²6. Int Haden Mc 51 C 12²6. Int Hydgen Mc 51 C 12²6. Hudson Mo 6; I C 13%; Int Har 62; John Many 77¹4; Kennecott 38%; Kresge 247s; Krog 29¹4; 38%; Kresge 247s; Krog 2914; Lib O F 52%; Lig & My B 10712; Mack 2832; Mar Fld 15; M K T pf 434; Mont W 5534; Nash Kel 7; Nat Bis 234k; Nat Sash R 167k; Nat Dairy 167k; N Y C 187k; No Am Av 261k; No Am Co 2334; No Pac 914; Ohio Oil 75k; Otis Sti 1214; Owen Ill 6312; Packard Stl 12¹4; Owen Ill 63¹2; Packard 3¹2; Param 8; Penney 94¹2; Penn R R 24¹2; Phil Mor 90¹4; Phil Pet 41³6; Pub Svc N J 41; Pullm 32; R C A 5³4; R K O 1³6; Rem

Rand 10½; Reo 15½; Rep Stl 235½ Rey Tob B 40; Sears 86½; Shel 12½; Soc 12½; So Pac 15½; So 014; Std Bds 612; St Oil Cal St Oil Ind 2712; St Oil N J

Drug 514 411/4; U S Stl 673/4; U S Stl p 118; Warn B 4; West Un 281/4 West Air B 28; West El 1177, White Mo 127%; Wilson 5½; Wool-worth 393%; rigley 87; Yel Tr 401/4 397/8 40 White Mo 127/8; Wi 358/4 351/4 351/2 worth 398/8; rigle 338/4 338/8 338/8 187/8; Youngst 48.

U. S. Bonds Close

New York, Jan. 3.— (AP)

7618 Bonds closed today: Treas 314s 45-43 110 Treas 4s 54-44 114.29 Treas 41,8 52-47 120.4 Fed Farm Mtg 38 49-44 108.9 HOLC 38 52-44 107.31

One Acre Church Site Has Four Oil Wells

chapel, a Christian church in the heart of the Lake Centralia-Salem oil field, had its fourth oil well Barley malting 54@68 nom; today and now has production freed 40@50 nom; No. 1 malting from all five of the pay formations in that field.

The newest well had an output of 1529 barrels in a 24-hour test from the Devonian lime, deepest the Lake field. It is a holding of the Ladd Oil company.

A second well produces from the benoist sand, a third from the aux vases sand and the fourth from both the McClosky and St. Louis lime formations.

A new brick church is being built with oil money to replace the wooden structure which has been in use several years.

Young Indiana Widow Admits Drowning Babe

Fowler, Ind., Jan. 3-(AP)-Fowler widow and mother of Menard sometime today to begin ed editorially that most she drowned her newly born son on the morning of Dec. 24.

Mrs. Berry has been living here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe

bed and the baby's body in a re-

Prosecutor Douglas Elwood said next grand jury.

Leatherpusher Gets No

Milwaukee, Jan. 3-AP)-Quenpathy today when he asked the bye. Wisconsin Athletic commission to proclaim him the winner over Pete Lello, of Gary, Ind., in their New Stork's Tie in Baby Year's Day bout which Referee Ted Jamieson ruled a draw.

Secretary Fred Saddy of the commission described Breese's request as "laughable" and added Louis' baby race of 1940 was unthat "we don't reverse referees' tied on a technicality today by

Breese was fined \$100 and much roughing and hitting while holding in the bout.

Youth Forfeits Big Bond in Larceny Case

Galesburg, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)-Sig B. Nelson, Jr., 23, son of a his \$3,000 bond today and failed second after midnight. to appear for sentencing on his plea of guilty to larceny.

The father showed Circuit Judge Riley E. Stevens a letter from other prices unchanged. the son, written from Burlington, Iowa, in which the defendant threatened suicide. Nelson had promised that his son would be in to spend the holidays at home.

panions were arrested for robbing closed today because of cold a drug store in Oneida, Ill., last | weather. summer. The others were sentenced to one to 10 years. Proba- port. It has been broadcasting tion for Nelson was denied.

KILLED IN AIR RAID

London, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Salvation Army headquarters said today | tion for nearly 30,000 children. that one sister was killed and Russian air-raid, which damaged the army's canten at Vassa, cen-

OHIO FROZEN OVER

Shawneetown, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP) The Ohio river was frozen from the Illinois shore to the Kentucky side for the first time in three years as zero temperatures prevailed in southern Illinois for the third consecutive day.

Returned by Lee Co. Grand Jurors

Judge Harry E. Wheat of Freeport today called the docket of cases for the January term of Lee tional taxes to meet the emercounty Circuit court, from which the trial list was formed. Petit jurors will report at 9:30 in the proceed with the trial of four cases which have been listed for

the jury as follows: Jan. 16 Gardner vs. Kelly. Jan. 17-Hausz vs. Miller. aJn. 18-Scott vs. Freeport Motor Casualty.

Jan. 19-Smith vs. Jones. Four cases were docketed to be tried before the court as follows: Jan. 23-Moore vs. Sinow. Jan. 24-Trowbridge vs. Trow-

bridge. Jan. 25-Cole vs. First National

Jan. 26 Zenith Radio Corp. vs. Conger. Worsley vs. Meade. Two cases appear on the docket for trial upon a date to be decided

and Eberly vs. Ostrander before Judge Wheat this morning granted a decree for a divorce to Dorothy Mae Stunkel from Bernard E. Stunkel. The couple reside in the vicinity of Steward.

Grand Jury Reports yesterday afternoon returning two yesterday differed indictments. Henry Webb of Des losses after three British planes Moines, Iowa, now in custody at fense forces. The German account dicted on two counts of larceny downed without German Amboy, his bond being fixed at lost one plane. \$1,000 on each count. Webb is to disposition of similar charges in administering her LaSalle county. Ben Cohen, alias over Bohemia and Moravia, parts reached the capital for the first named in an indictment containing widespread arrests. four counts, charging larceny, his count. Cohen was arrested at the Oct. 5 just before the dedication cember 17-23. in pick-pocketing. He is at liberty

At the request of State's Attorney Edward Jones, Judge Wheat recessed the January grand jury session until Feb. 2nd at 10 o'clock. to permit further investigation if necessary.

Dr. Gore Will Begin Prison Term Tomorrow

Benton, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)-Sheriff Edward Powell said Dr. ties with the rest of Ireland. George W. Gore, Sr., 65, a Benton Sheriff Ralph Hampton said today physician, would be taken to the Mrs. Helen M. Berry, 24-year-old Southern Illinois penitentiary at three small children had confessed serving a 14-year sentence for the murder of Carl Choisser, Benton attorney-publisher.

The physician was sentenced Dec. 22 when he pleaded guilty to Consolidation of All the murder charge a few minutes The parents said they were away after having been granted a new when the baby was born and re- trial. In the first trial he was conturned to find their daughter in victed and his punishment had been fixed by a Circuit court jury at death by electrocution.

Choisser was shot to death in the case would be presented to the the Benton business district Sept. 25 and Dr. Gore, who admitted the shooting, charged he had interfered in Gore's family affairs. The Sympathy in Protest physician pleaded emotional insan-

Friends and relatives of the phytin (Baby Face) Breese, Manhat- sician visited at the jail last night tan, Kan., lightweight, got no sym- and early today, bidding him good-

Race Settled Today

East St. Louis, Ill., Jan. 3 (AP)-The stork's tie in East St. Dr. R. C. Farrier, health director. He awarded \$100 in merchants' suspended for 30 days for too prizes to the boy born 12 seconds interstate commerce committee. past midnight, Jan. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bourland. At the same second, a son also was born Joliet Editor Will to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mulligan. but the Bourland birth certificate was filed first.

The same point settled a tie last New Year's, when two East St. widely-known attorney, forfeited Louis babies were born at one

Des Moines Prankster Keeps Station Busy

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 3 - A prankster called a court today if he were permitted resenting himself as a board of education official and announcing Young Nelson and three com- that the city's schools would be

> The station broadcast the rea correction at frequent intervals

> The schools opened on time this morning, ending a holiday vaca-

NO LICENSE REQUIRED

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3—(AP)-Attorney General John E. Cassidy today ruled that restaurants allowing patrons to dance need not be licensed as a dance hall or as "a roadhouse used for public

In an opinion sent to State's Attorney Clarence E. Wright of Murphysboro, the attorney general said the county board had no right to demand that the restaurant serving soft drinks and per-Robins raise two broods of from mitting dancing be licensed as a

Two Indictments President Asks-

(Continued from Page 1)

tinue in these days of increasing economic prosperity to reduce the federal deficit, I am asking the congress to levy sufficient addigency spending for national de-

jurors will report at 9:30 in the Mational unity is, in a very real morning of Tuesday, Jan. 16 to and deep sense, the fundamental safeguard of all democracy.

> The apologists for foreign aggressors, and equally those selfish and partisan groups at home who of Americanism to promote their own economic, financial or politiadvantage, are now trying European tricks on us seeking to muddy the stream of our national thinking, weakening us in the face of danger, by trying to Europe into war. We must combat them, as we would the plague, if American integrity and security are to be preserved

I am very hopeful that the losing session of the seventysixth congress will consider the later; July vs. Bresson, by jury, needs of the nation and of humanity with calmness, tolerance and cooperative wisdom.

Finns Prepare—

(Continued from Page 1.)

the county jail at Ottawa, was in- said all three British planes were from service stations in Dixon and The British acknowledged losing

An indication that Germany be returned to Dixon following the was encountering difficulties in of former Czecho-Slovakia, came time Ben Kaiwin of Chicago, was from Pragpe with disclosures of

Nearly 1.000 former Czechobond being fixed at \$2,000 on each Slovak army officers, two journalists and several workers in the Skoda munitions plant central ofnew armory on the afternoon of fice were arrested the week of De Authorities said pay formation yet discovered in exercises started and was they were suspected of giving Pocharged with having been engaged land information about the Gerarmy during the invasion last September and of other unfriendly acts.

Fear Irish Trouble Aroused by repeated rumors of impending trouble in Ireland, asked parliament for sweeping authority to deal with the situation by interning anyone "whose public safety."

Authorities feared further outbreaks of violence by the extremist Irish Republican army, which advocated force to drive the British from Northern Ireland, Ulster and reunite the six northern coun-

Commenting on the opening of the United States congress, the ice. Times of London, which often reflects government opinion, declarcoosevelt's "sympathies for the British-French allies.

Telegraph Lines Urged

Washington, Jan. 3. - (AP) -Commission recommended today consolidation of telegraph companies as "an obvious remedy for many of the existing ills" of the

The firms covered by the report the Western Union Telegraph Company and the Postal Telegraph & Cable Corporation. Reports of proposals for merging the two companies have been heard for several years, and the senate last winter directed the FCC to survey the situation.

Western Union has nearly 20,-000 offices and Postal nearly 4,400. On June 30, Western Union had 43,490 employes and Postal (land lines) 14,560.

The commission suggested that congress remove the present prohibition against consolidation, in report sent to Chairman Wheeler (D-Mont) of the senate

Seek Congress Seat

Joliet, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)-O. L. Anderson, managing editor of the Joliet Herald-News, announced today he would seek the Republican nomination for congressman-atlarge for Illinois in the April pri-

Anderson, born 40 years ago in Kendall county, is a graduate of cause her husband, James Harris, St. Olaf college, Northfield, Minn. a Woodmen member, did not pay He came to Joliet as telegraph editor of the Herald-News in 1920, time a month before his death in became city editor in 1931 and has 1930. been managing editor since 1934. He has never been a candidate for office before and said he was a foe of communism and war.

see the nation fill its crying need for more jobs in private industry for two days. and less relief employment," he Anderson, married and the fath-

er of three sons, has been active in school and civic enterprises for 20 years.

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Report Troops Massed For Push on Finns' Mannerheim Line

Helsinki, Jan. 3-(AP)-Irked by setbacks, Soviet Russia was reported today to be massing seven army divisions-about 150,-000 men-as the spearhead for a major offensive against the Finnish Mannerheim line on the Kar-

the fresh troops were said by set our own people to fighting among themselves. Such tactics are what have helped to plunge tremendous push against the Fintremendous push against the Finnish fortifications which have been described by the Russians in the three-story brick building as comparable to Germany's

(Gen. G. M. Stetrn, hero of Russia's Far Eastern "vest pocket ed. with Japanese Manchoukuoan forces in 1938, was reported on Dec. 29 to have succeeded Gen. K. A. Meretskoff as chief of the Finnish campaign.)

Fighting in a sub-zero blizzard which checked enemy air attacks, the Finns said Soviet at-The grand jury reported late an air battle over Helgoland Bight tacks near Lake Lavajarvi on the eastern front yesterday were converted into Finnish victories. A Russian front line base was re-

Reports Reach Capital Meanwhile, reports of how Finnish troops topped the 163rd red the greatest battle of the war, ing.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bafford coup.

Four thousand of the 15,000 men making up the 163rd infantry division were drawn up on icecovered Lake Kianta when the Finns surrounded them, it was The lake is in the "waistsector of the eastern fron-More than 1,000 were killed before a tight ring was drawn around the remainder, according night January 1 and a church was

After opening up the trap to Prime Minister Eamon de Valera allow Russian reinforcements to enter the Finns closed in again and set up machine-gun nests liberty may be a menace to the along the shore, it was said. Land forces attacked the bottled up enemy by night and the air-

Drop Through Ice

Soviet troops, trucks and cannon dropped into the water when bombs blasted great noles in the

Panic-stricken, the survivors

of the fled in confusion but large num-United States shared President bers were reported taken pris-Reporting new successes, Finnish communique yesterday

said seven Soviet planes were shot down. In a day-long attack by the The Federal Communications miles north of Lake Ladoga, the Finns reported they seized and

held the Russian base after it had Compton. "passed from hand to hand." The communique said the Russian battleship October Revolution bombarded the island fortress Koivisto south of Viipuri without results worth mention-

(The newspaper National Tidende at Copenhagen said rumors persisted that the wreck of a troop train on the Murmansk railroad had added to the confusion forces on the northern front. The report could not be confirmed.)

Woodmen of the World Appeal \$1,489 Verdict

The Sovereign camp of the Wood- 1937. men of the World today appealed to the state Supreme court to reverse a Williamson county Circuit court decision holding the lodge liable for \$1,489.40 in death benefits to Mrs. Emma E. Harris of Marion, Ill.

The Woodmen lodge appealed from a decision of the Fourth District Appellate court, which upheld the Williamson court. The lodge claimed that Mrs. Harris was not entitled to the benefit bethe benefit premium at the proper

FORCED TO LEAVE HOME

Seattle, Jan. 3 - (AP) - The classified ad, "Sunday or Monday "With the return of the Repub- only cash for your Christmas lican party to power, I expect to tree," brought T. R. Faragher so many calls he had to leave home He blamed friends for inserting

the ads as a prank.

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Score to Hospitals
At least 25 persons were taken
to hospitals for treatment of burns an injuries sustained jumping from windows of the 85 apartment building.

Mrs. Eloise Huson, a resident there, said she was awakened shortly before 6 a. m., she thought was a "terrific explosion.' She said she heard cries for help, and was met by a rush of flame and smoke when she opened

She escaped by dropping in her nightgown from a second-floor porch, and was unhurt Firemen, who fought the blaze in sub-zero weather, were still searching for bodies four hours after the alarm was sounded.

Four of the victims were killed as they jumped from top windows Others were trapped in blazing hallways, or dashed to death when the floors burned through and fell. No one knew how the fire start-

find the 85-apartment building already an inferno, smoke and flames blocking halls and stair-How the blaze spread so quickly

through the 45-year-old structure

puzzled firemen as they poked about through the wreckage in search of more bodies. The building is in three sections and firemen said the fire appeared to start simultaneously in all

FATAL FIRE IN DECATUR Decatur, Ill., Jan. 3—(AP)—An elderly couple was burned to

death early today and two others were burned seriously when Decatur's third major fire of 1940 dearmy division Dec. 29 and 30 in stroyed a two-story frame build-

> were killed and Mr. and Mrs. Philwhen the building, partly occupied by a garage, burned. The couples had been living together on the second floor. The Sargents escaped through a hole in the roof in weather one degree below zero. Sargent was dragged to the roof by his wife

and suffered a broken ankle when he dropped to the ground. The Elks country club was destroyed by fire shortly after mid-

FIRES IN CHICAGO Chicago, Jan. 3—(AP)—Twenty persons, most of them clad onin night clothes, were forced outdoors in 12-degree weather early today by fire which swept their dwellings in the 1500 block

of West Chicago avenue. Twelve persons, including a 2year-old boy, were driven to the street in night clothes by a fire in a three-story apartment building at 7315 Yates avenue, on the

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

JANUARY 3 Bette Nehring, D. H. S. fresh-

JANUARY 4

Merton M. Memler: C. H. Rus-Russians at Aittajoki, about 60 sell; Wm. A. Robinson; Ruth Ma- a wave of bombings in Britain. non; John Diehl, route 1; Donald Tuttle, Amboy; Louișe

STRIKE OF UNIVERSITY

Champaign, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)-Seventy union plumbers and steamfitters employed on three buildings under construction on the University of Illinois campus

were on strike today. University officials said the unionists walked off the job yesterday because the school trustees refused to award a project to a

ACTRESS DIVORCED

Los Angeles, Jan. 3.—(AP)-Actress Mitzi Haynes was granted a divorce today from dance director Dave Gould. She testified Gould told her to go out with other men because he didn't love Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)- her. They were married in April,



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RUMORS OF OPEN REBELLION STIR (Continued from Page 1.)

IRISH DEFENSES two hours before they were able to fight their way to the second floor, where additional bodies

Eire Government Seeks will meet for dinner at 6:30 Sweeping Authority To Meet Threat

Dublin, Jan. 3-(AP)-Aroused by repeated rumors that the undercover Irish Republican party was planning open rebellion, the Irish (Eire) government asked parliament to approve today sweeping authority to meet any threat.

The weapon forged by Eamon De Valera, prime minister of independent Eire, is a 25-line emergency powers act by which the government could intern any person "whose liberty may be a menace to public safety."

Political observers expressed belief that the Dail Eireann, Ire- months sojourn in California. The land's parliament, would make the trip is being made by auto and bill law by tonight and that its trailer. passage would be the signal for a nationwide manhunt by the Irish army and police for members of

and the I. R. A. Internment camps would be established for suspects detained. The Dail meeting, closely guarded by units of the Irish army, was Tex. arrived in Dixon yesterday to

closed to all but a few members of spend some time with Mr. and the public. As a safeguard against an expected demonstration the Denver Stock show. by I. R. A. sympathizers during the debate, troops were detailed to ring the parliament building. Possible Date for Coup

Rumors that plans for open rebellion were afoot have mentioned the Easter Sunday anniversary of No. 12 will meet in G. A. R. hall the abortive 1916 rebellion as the at 8 o'clock this evening and the possible day for an, attempted commander urges the attendance The Irish Republican army, de-

six northern counties, northern ple Thursday evening at 7:30 for Ireland or Ulster, which are part of the United Kingdom. This aim is aired by De Valera, who himself spent a part of the Years evening to celebrate the World war in English jails and

ably, by agreement with Great and were enjoyed by young and northern Ireland and Britain have served. A similar party will be outlawed the organization but its given in two weeks. secret enrollment is estimated at from 10,000 to 50,000 men and it

has the passive sympathy of a substantial portion of Ireland. Munitions Still Missing

The search continued for muni-

tions still missing from the Phoenix arsenal. Raiders on Decem- Hawley and Mrs. William Stabler ber 23 disarmed the arsenal guard will ente tain St. Agnes Guild of of 12 men and hauled away 1.000,- St. Luke's Episcopal church at 000 rounds of ammunition. of 700 2:30 p. m. Friday at the former's cases taken, 217 have not been re- home, 316 Ottawa. covered. Authorities blamed the I. R. A. for the seizure.

Britain, Ireland and Northern will entertain the E. R. B. class of Ireland already have taken strong St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school measures to combat I. R. A. ter- at rorism, which has been blamed for The British parliament has enacted emergency legislation per-

mitting deportation or expulsion of I. R. A. suspects and Northern Ireland has announced its inten- 2:30 p. m. Thursday. tion to arrest suspects reaching its De Valera's demand for widened powers resulted from legal

JUDGE ASTOUNDED

Philip Gilliam. days in jail."

SOCIETY

WA-TAN-YANS PLAN DINNER

Dixon chapter of Wa-Tan-Ye o'clock Thursday evening. Reservations should be made at phone No. X614.

FROM MICHIGAN

Mr. and Mrs. George Fluehr returned last evening from Bay City, Mich., where they spent the holiday season with the junior George Fluehrs and other relatives.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Kerz of Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mark of Rockford left today for a two

Elwin W. Carlson has returned to Washington, D. C., after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carlson of Palmyra township

William Barrick of Amarillo, Mrs. Arthur Morris, en route to

A. F. & A. M .- A special meetscended from the Irish Volunteers of 1916, aims at union of the 26 southern counties—Eire—and the Brinton Memorial Masonic Temwork in the first degree assembled at Rosbrook's hall New

74th birthday party of Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder and origbarely escaped execution for his inator of the Townsend movement. part in the Republican "rising" of Dancing and cards were the prinalmost destroyed at noon the same 1916. But he wants it done peace- cipal entertainment of the evening old. An orchestra furnished a program of modern and old time The governments of Ireland, selections and refreshments were

Activities of Dixon Church Societies

St. Agnes Guild-Mrs. George

E. R. B. Class-Mrs. Earl Au-

The Misse Clara and Henrietta Buchman are Mrs. Auman's co-W. F. M. S.-Mrs. W. E. Whit-

Madison avenue will entertain the Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church at

ROAD TO LINCOLN CABIN Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)-The highway division announced loopholes found in legislation pre- today that a new bituminous road viously enacted by Ireland against from Charleston to Lincoln log cabin state park in Coles county

had been completed. The 16.5 mile highway will af-Denver, Jan. 3-(AP)- "The ford an all-year connection with crowds got too thick in the street, the park where the old Lincoln so I just started to drive on the family home has been recreated. sidewalk," a youth told Judge The park also contains Shiloh church and Shiloh cemetery where The judge gasped, then said "30 Abraham Lincoln's parents are

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LODGE NEWS

PLAN WILL AID

(By The Associated Press)

prices rising, Secretary of Agri-

sumers that the ever-normal

corn growers against marketing

against excessive price advances.

tection to farmers and consumers

tion," the secretary explained.

caused temporary increases in the

"In 1939 farmers carried under

government loan or the govern-

ment itself held 80 million bushels

of wheat, 260 million bushels of

corn, and 11 million bales of cot-

prices of certain foodstuffs

Conceived originally as a pro-

Washington, Jan. 3-With corn

CORN CONSUMERS

Of Interest to Farmers

HOLSTEIN MEET INTERESTS THE **LOCAL FARMERS**

Annual Convention to Be Held January 19, 20 At Rockford

The Illinois Holstein-Friesian association which held its annual convention in Dixon two years ago, will meet this year at Rockford, Friday and Saturday, January 19 and 20.

An elaborate program has been arranged and the committee in charge, headed by Clarence E. Johnson of Capron as chairman, is making arrangements for a large banquet on the evening of Friday, Jan. 19, which 1000 persons, many from Dixon and vicinity, are expected to attend. The Hotel Faust will be the head-

quarters for the convention. The educational program will begin at 10 a. m Friday and will include discussions on the following subjects: Dairy farm pasture management, under the direction of Prof. C. S. Rhode of the University of Illinois; merchandising of Holstein cattle, by Glenn M. Householder of the Holstein-Friesian association of America. Brattleboro, Vermont; dairy cattle disease control, by Dr. Robert Graham of the University of Il-

To Conduct Honoring

Prof. C. S. Rhode will also conduct the honoring of the owners of the 10 highest producing Holstein herds in 1938; the owners of the 10 highest producing Holstein cows in 1938: Holstein breeders who have been testing for 10 or more consecutive years; the owner of the Holstein herd which has been on continuous test the longest, and all Holstein breeders who have been breeding registered Holsteins for 25 years or more.

Mrs. Leslie Geddes is chairman of the finance and exhibits committee and Mr. Swan Hillman, chairman of the committee for the banquet on Friday evening. There will be 30 attendance prizes given, including a pure bred Holstein calf, given by John M. Logan & Son and the second prize, a pure the year ending June 30, 1940, and with renewed confidence in bred Poland-China hog, given by should amount to only 50 million the future of the grain business." Roy Anderson, Numerous other bushels the carry-over next July McCarthy said. valuable prizes will be given. would be about the same as it was There will be professional vaudeville acts including one of the nation's foremost magicians and dance and novelty acts.

Stransky To Speak

The speaker for the evening will be Representative Franklin J. farm at Savannah, breeder of Holsteins and milk retailer.

Tickets for the banquet wil lbe available through the Farm Bureaus of all of the counties throughout the state and from members of the Winnebago-Boone County Holstein club.

Numerous exhibts of dairy farm equipment have been arranged.

Committees are: Banquet and entertainment - Swan Hillman. Rockford, chairman:: Mr. and Mrs. Ross Logan, Seward; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson, Winnebago; and George Arnold, Rock-

Finance and exhibits-Leslie H. Geddes, Rockford, chairman, Reception-Floyd Roto, Capron, chairman.

Publicity-D. M. Chalcraft, chairman; Henry R. Brunnemeyer and J. H. Pontius, Rockford; and Richard Washington, Pecatonica. Tour-H. R. Brunnemeyer, chairman; K. M. Cleland, Belvi-

dere; and Mr. Pontius.

All of the above and the following persons are serving on the general committee: Roy E. Morris and H. H. Guilford, Pecatonica; Dale Griffin, Rockford; E. H. Ellingson, Poplar Grove; W. A. Newman, Winnebago: and Dr. O. Augspurger, Rockford

Illinois Second in Popcorn Production

(By The Associated Press)
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3—Illinois ranked second among the states from Ogle county, a ladies' trio in popcorn production in 1939, but led the nation in yield per acre, J. H. Jacobson, federal and state crop expert has reported.

The Illinois crop this year totalled 15,680,000 pounds of ear corn but was exceeded by Iowa's 37,440,000 production. However, man of the Ogle county commitwith only 8,000 acres harvested in this state as compared with 19,200 acres in Iowa, the Illinois per acre yield was 1,960 pounds of

ear corn as against 1,950 for Iowa. Both yield and total Illinois production showed substantial increases over 1938 although the acreage harvested was the same as last year. The season average price was \$1.25 per 100 pounds of ear corn this year as compared with \$1.50 last year, Jacobson reported. Hence the value of this

Advisers in the district will give \$226,000 last year. their assistance. Last year, Illinois acre yield was 1.880 pounds and total production was 15,040,000 pounds. 150 tractors every day.

year's Illinois crop was only

\$196,000 as compared with

Many Farmers See Their Markets Caught by Belligerents' Barages

Washington, Jan. 3-(AP)-The | favors other nations, but Canada agriculture department, in a may buy hogs from this country. "progress report" on American farm exports since outbreak of the European war, has declared that many farmers see their markets being 'caught in the "no-man's land between the opposing economic barges of the belligerents." The foreign trade situation was summarized as follows:

The allied blockade shuts American products out of German-controlled markets.

The allies are applying trade controls in ways tending to favor crisis forced the government to sources of farm supplies other than the United States.

Trade measures of European neutrals also are closing markets to American products.

Allied control of shipping space and bulk buying outside the United States later may adversely affect cotton exports.

The allied selective buying policy for wheat favors producing nations other than the United States. | cedure "almost inevitably have to The same policy for pork products be continued for many years."

Wallace Rates

Wheat Situation

as "Satisfactory"

Washington, Jan. 3-(AP)-

reached parity prices.

than the supply for 1938.

on July 1, 1939."

erage of 685 million bushels, this

current marketing year," Wallace

Held Above World Levels

wheat-loan and export programs.

parity payments of 28 cents.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

TRY-OUTS TO BE

AT OREGON JAN. 4

The Music and Drama try-out

promptly at 7 o'clock because of

ing to word from the Ogle County

Rock Island county has been

added to the district and now six

counties will be represented in-

cluding Whiteside, Carroll, Jo Da-

viess, Winnebago and Ogle. Six

plays will be presented that eve-

ning, two from Ogle, two from

Whiteside, one from Winnebago

and one from Rock Island county.

At least three, and possibly more,

musical groups will participate including a double mixed quartette

from Jo Daviess, a double male

quartette from Carroll county and

possibly a group from Winnebago.

high in the number of entries and

the ratings in the district try-out

according to J. W. Robbins, chair-

tee, and all groups are trying

hard for a rating that will entitle

them to attend the state tourna-

men at Urbana during Farm and

The judges for the persentations

at Oregon will be Lansom F. Dem-

ming of the School of Music of

the University of Illinois and Jo-

seph W. Scott of the Department

of Speech of the University of Ill-

The program will be in charge

of Joe Brooks, Forreston who is

district chairman of the music and

drama project. Farm and Home

The Ford Motor Co. turns out

Home Week.

Ogle county has always stood

of the United States."

Farm Bureau office.

"This is still short of the parity

READJUSTMENT PREDICTED IN WHEAT MARKET

Exchange controls and import

licenses are working against

American fruit exports. Tobacco

exports are reduced by similar

Meanwhile, Secretary Wallace

declared in his annual report that

American agriculture cannot re-

turn to the "laissez faire" days

when farmers were free to produce

as they desired and government

limited its farm-aid efforts to ed-

The post-world war economic

step in, he said, with programs

declining markets both at home

With agriculture still able to

a new period of maladjustment at

its conclusion. Wallace said the

government's crop control pro-

ucation and research.

and abroad.

Chicago -(AP)-John G. Mc-Carthy, president of the Board of Trade, says that, after several Henry Wallace, secretary of agriyears of over-production of wheat, culture, rated the wheat situation 'reasonably satisfactory" from justment of the supply and dethe standpoint of supplies but said that wheat-growers had not yet mand situation in 1940.

Citing the reduced crop outlook The 1939 supplies were said in in the United States winter wheat his annual report to be sufficiently belt and the smaller Argentine large to provide an ample carryover next July but do not represent a "burdensome or unmanagevelopments, with war in the background, had changed the market Wheat supplies in the United picture radically and had done much to create hope for better great deal more to do with how States for the year beginning July 1 were estimated at 990 million bushels, or about 100 million less

Especially is this so, he said, in most of us have realized. a statement reviewing the past "If domestic disappearance is year's grain trade developments, equal to the 10-year (1928-37) av- considering the possibility of destruction of grain cargoes due to would leave 305 million bushels for the war and likelihood of reduced

export and carry-over during the "Members of the Board of Trade are looking forward to the com-"Even though our exports for ing year with a great deal of hope

"Domestic grain trade condi-Recalling that Liverpool prices better throughout 1939 in regard during August, 1939, fell to the to price than in other countries. lowest levels in several hundred At present wheat at Chicago is years, Wallace said prices in the selling much above the level of Ca-United States had been held above | nadian wheat, which in turn com-Stransky, owner of the Strandale world levels as a result of the re- mands better prices than that of duced production in 1939 and the other countries.

"Due to the comparatively high in the agricultural conservation." ment, farmers have held their size of the flocks, you may be in-1939", he reported, "have received ward to such time as prices imapproximately 88 cents per bushel. prove. Current wheat values are 100 farms in the United States pounds. They were May pigs, preciable increases in production, This includes an average loan rate now well above loan levels, but still have less than 100 chickens. cross-bred Poland Chinas and of 60 cents and conservation and there is still no evidence of any And only 1 out of every 100 farms Spotted Poland Chinas, and were livestock and poultry. The total

"The country raised excellent prices that have prevailed outside to markets."

states bordering the Mississippi river received communications from the Mississippi river parkway planning committee urging for district number 1 in the state them to support bills in the Sentournament will be held at the Oregon Coliseum Thursday eve- ate and House to authorize a federal survey for a parkway along ning, January 4 and will begin the river's route from Minnesota to Louisiana. the length of the program, accord-

The letters, sent from the combe dedicated next year.

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FRANK PRIEBE'S WEEKLY LETTER **POULTRY_RAISERS**

Dear Friends:

the spare time you will have the next two or three months?

Complete records kept by thirty-three Iowa farmers last year showed that for every hour hatched in February they earned \$1.73-which is good wages in any man's language.

designed to stabilize prices and adjust agricultural production to These records offer the most convincing argument I've ever seen for starting chicks early. For several years now you have been produce far in excess of markets hearing from all sides that you and the European war threatening can make more money on early chicks. I've said so myself time and time again. But I must admit I never realized how much more until I saw the figures these poultry raisers got together.

People who started their chicks February earned an average of \$1.73 an hour; those who started them in March, 54 cents an hour; and those who started them in

April, 45 cents an hour. Thirty-one of the thirty-three poultry raisers who kept these records made money on their chickens, but those who started the world has in prospect a read- them in February made three times as much money as those who started them in March and pril. They found that, contrary to the general belief, it actually costs less to raise early chicks than it does those from later harvest, McCarthy said these de- hatches. And they always sell

time you start your chicks has a much you make on them than

Size of Flock Affects Profit There is another thing that has more effect on your profit than you might think and that is the size of the flock.

Considered from that point of view, these same figures show that the people who had only 100 the time they spent on their chickens. Those who had 100 to 200 had 500 hens or more earned \$1.81 an hour!

For all flocks over 100 birds, the amount earned per hour would be considered a highly desirable wage. And that \$1.81 an hour should encourage more persons to enlarge their flocks to 500 or

has more than 400 chickens!

price of \$1.10, but is far in excess crops the past year, but with the few years about raising poultry without sorting. Mr. Henrich past farm year totalled \$438,536. received if they had been required wheat and corn there has been less figured it was being overdone. extreme top of the Chicago mar- as an enterprise of considerable to sell their wheat on the basis of than the usual movement of grain But the facts indicate that there ket at midweek made a further magniture which is under conare still comparatively few per- rise to \$6.15 per cwt. and the stant supervision. sons in this country who realize prices for the Wednesday session how much money can be made on averaged \$5.70 per cwt., the high- State Launches Its Washington - Illinois congress- chickens if they are started early est average daily trade in five men and those from nine other and raised in lots of 500 or more. weeks. Sincerely yours,

Frankliebe_

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Officers of Lee SAYS GRANARY County's Dairy Group Retained

The annual meeting of the Lee-County Dairy Herd Improvement culture Wallace has assured conassociation was held at the Farm Bureau office in Amboy last Wedgranary plan, which protected nesday evening with 12 members demoralization in three years of

Officers re-elected for the new vear were: J. J. Cole, Ambov. chairman; George Pitzer, Dixon, secretary-treasurer: E. L. Cole. Roi W. Degner and V. S. Pomerov, all of Ambov, directors.

J. Colgan gave a short resume of the past year's work. He stated that on one particular herd of 12 cows that feeding a balanced ration a cording to production increased the profit approximately \$300 and also the average butter they spent taking care of chicks fat per cow eight pounds over the preceding year. The preceding year the cows were fed a heavy protein ration costing more per hundredweight. The directors rehired Mr. Colgan for another year to carry on the supervision of the

Americans Consumed More Butter in '39 Than Any Other Year

(By The Associated Press) Chicago, Jan. 3 - Americans ton," Wallace reported. consumed more butter in 1939 than in any other year on record, according to statistics compiled , the Chicago Mercantile Ex-

Liberal distribution of butter by the federal surplus commodities and a sharply-improved regular demand, cut down abnormally large reserve stocks carried over from 1938 and absorbed an unusually big proportion of the

Butter consumption the first nine months amounted to 1.380. 000,000 pounds, an increase of 11 per cent compared with the corresponding 1938 period. Butter given away by the government as price stabilization and relief measure accounted for a major part of the increase. Movement of butter through regular channels, however, was five per cent above the 1938 figure.

Butter prices skyrocketed late in 1939 as a result of the European war and improved consumpwas the sharpest since 1931 and in October a peak of 3014 cents a established. Today's quotation U. S. Penal Institutions hens earned 79 cents an hour- was around 291/2, compared with

Volume of trading in butter on the Mercantile Exchange expanded sharply from that of 1938.

Lee County Farmers Top Chicago Market

While we are talking about the farmer, received \$5.40 per cwt, in was an increase of 34.1 percent in was) to know that 80 out of every butcher hogs averaging 283 and poultry operations showed ap-We've heard so much these last mercial feed. They were sold tion on these farms during the farms near West Brooklyn. The 37 and is classified in the report

Bert Vogeler of Ashton recently market and received \$9.50, the top tional building program, the diviaveraged 911/2 when sold.

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inspector for the past eight years. pleted by the state this year.

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Reporter

Dickinson, Dec. 25. William Grennan, Rose Mathis, Dickie Eckberg Ruth Zimmerley and Raymond Schmidt, Dec. 27. Earl Gascoigne, Dec. 29.

against drought or other causes Wedding
On Wednesday, Dec. 27 occurred
ne marriage of Miss Julianne of actual shortage, the ever-normal granary functions "equally well" as a protection against sudden increases in demand, Wallac declared in his annual report. formed the candlelight ceremony at 4:30 o'clock. Mr. Tourtillott "It copes effectively with unwas graduated from the Amboy predictable changes on either side

of the supply and demand equa-Wallace contended the plan "Liebestraum," Grieg's proved its worth soon after the European war broke out and runs on grocery stores began in this Panicky buying for inventory was used for the recessional. and not for consumption, he said,

Miss Isabel Parks of Minonk, former roommate of the bride at the University of Blinois, was soloist. She sang iwo numbers, "Because" and "O Promise Me,"

Edwards-Gillette The engagement of Miss Shirley

Illinois Winter Wheet and Rye Acreage Lower

(By The Associated Press)
Springfield, Ill, Jan. 3—Illinois winter wheat and rye acreage sown last fall were lower than seedings of last year, the state and federal crop reporting service an-

was 2,312,000 and the preceding 10-year period average was

Rye acreage under cultivation December 1 of this year was 118,000 compared with 196,000

Condition of both crops was reported below average due to the 'driest fall season in years." wheat being 77 per cent of normal as compared with 84 per cent in The September price rise 1938. Rye condition was placed at 81 per cent as compared with 87 per cent last year.

Control About 5,896 Of the Farming Land

Federal penal institutions in the United States control about 5,896 acres of farm land, according to late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grohens the annual report of the attorney general for the fiscal year of 1939. Through the selection of good

George Henrich. Lee county stock and careful feeding there together with a large amount of

'40 Building Program

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)shipped 250 lambs to the Chicago Launching the state's 1940 instituprice for the day. The sheep sion of architecture and engineer- by a 10-piece orchestra with singweighed 1712 lbs. in the fall and ing called for bids January 9 for ing guitar. construction of a tuberculosis hospital at the Lincoln state school and colony at Lincoln.

Kansas, Ill .- Charles O. Brown, The hospital, which will accom-A new design for instrument 62, was killed yesterday when a modate 75 patients and is to be mittee's Illinois headquarters, panels makes it possible to lift the Big Four passenger train struck paid for from a \$150,000 legislaurged that the survey be made in panels on hinges to permit serv- his automobile on a crossing near tive appropriation, is one of the 32 time for part of the parkway to ice men to get at the wiring more his home. He had been a state food new buildings expected to be com-

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Birthdays Roy Isenberg, Dec. 24. Dale

Crawford to John Tourtillot at the First Presbyterian church in Ore-

Township high school.

Miss Mildred Van Inwegen, organist, played the nuptial prelude, anist, played the selections including Liszt's er selections "Geieg's "Ich Liebe "Romance" by Rubenstein, Traume" from Wagner's "Tristan and Isolde" and the traditional 'Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin. Mendelssohn's Wedding March

Mae Gillette, daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Gillette of Peru, Ill., to Winston Edwards, son of the Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Edwards of Genoa, was announced at a family dinner party Christmas day at the Ed-wards home. The Reverend Edwards was minister of the Methodist church in Amboy a few years

Wedding Wedding vows of Miss Evelyn Morgridge and Edward Grohens of Amboy were solemnized at nup-tial high mass at the St. Patrick's Catholic church in Amboy on Thursday morning. The Rev. R. C. Troy, pastor, performed the single ring service preceding the

Christmas poinsettias decorated the altars for the nuptial service which was witnessed by a large assemblage of relatives and friends. Music was furnished by the alumni and grade choirs with Sister Mary Claude presiding at the organ. L. A. Dieter of Amboy and Miss Helen Renies of Harmon

The bride was gowned in white satin with a full-length veil and carried white roses. Miss Rose Murtaugh of Amboy, her only attendant, wore rose taffeta and silver sandals.

Robert Morgridge, Jr., the bride's brother, served as best

Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served in Dixon for 28 guests. Afterward, Mr. Grohens and his bride left on a brief wedding trip in the east. Mrs. Grohens is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morgridge, Sr., of Amboy. She was graduated from St. Anne's school, the Amboy Township high school and Illinois State Normal school in

Normal, Ill. She is now a member of the faculty at Depue high school The bridegroom is a son of the He was graduated of Amboy. from the Amboy public schools and is associated with the J. I.

Case company in Rockford.

Last Rites Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the agricultural conservation." ment, farmers have held their size of the flocks, you may be instructional stock yards for a drove of 25 report states. Likewise the dairy at the Lyon residence and at 2 terested (and as surprised as I butcher horse averaging and loan programs for wheat off the market, looking for the congregational butcher horse averaging and loan programs for wheat off the market, looking for the congregational butcher horse averaging and loan programs for wheat off the market, looking for the congregational butcher horse averaging and loan programs for wheat off the market, looking for the congregational butcher horse and at 2 the congregation and loan programs for wheat off the market, looking for the congregation and loan programs for wheat off the market, looking for the congregation and loan programs for wheat off the market, looking for the congregation at the congregation and loan programs for wheat off the market, looking for the congregation and loan programs for look and look church of Amboy for Miss phens Lyons. The Rev. C. W. Riley of the Baptist church officiated. Interment was at the Woodside cemetery at Lee Center.

Miss Tryphens Rosetta younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. ert Lyon, passed away at the of her parents in Amboy Wednesday morning. Her death terminated a long illness. Several weeks ago she submitted to a serious operation in Kansas City, Mo. Miss Lyon was born in Lee Center township, March 10, 1889, esides her parents she leaves to nourn her passing one sister, Mrs. Geneva Holt of Amboy.

The annual benefit dance was held Thursday evening at the St

Back to School With vacation drawing to a months in 1938.

be returning to colleges:
Those at the University of Illinois are: Elizabeth Wedlock, Walter George Griffith, John Griffith, Bob Leake, Donald Mc-Keown, John Burke, Vivian Wolfram, Jack Ditsch, Norman Colby, Jack Bates and Charles Bates.

Those returning to Normal will be: Marie Rocho, Mary Louise Weise, Joe Garland, Roy Russell, Jr., Wayne Hoyle, Floyd Covil, Delores Meyer, Betty Scott.

A marriage license has been is-sued to Miss Margaret Ryan and Nathan Friel. Miss Ryan is a graduate of Amboy high school with the class of '37. The Amboy fire department was

called early Sunday morning to the home of Philip Flach. Not much damage done. The Amboy fire department was flooding the pond for the skaters the first of the week in back of the Amboy Township high school.

Neighborhood Club Mr. and Mrs. H. B. King entertained the Amboy Neighborhood lub at their home on Saturday night, the following guests being present: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Witteauer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nichol-Mr. and Mrs. John Vivian, Aleln Tait, Mrs. Mary Tait, and Mrs. Harry Gascoign and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Utley were guests of the club. The following prizes were won: Mrs. Harry Gascoign, high; Jean Gascoign, high; Mrs. John Vivian, low, and Harry Gascoign, low. Mrs. King will en-tertain the ladies of the club on

Town News Miss Marian Healy has been on special duty at the Harris hospital

Mendota for three weeks. Mrs. Margaret Healy and Miss Marian were New Year's dinner guests at the hom of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Michael.

Miss Ethel Bates of Dixon spent
New Year's with her mother.

Dinner Guests Mr. and Mrs. John Ankeny of Woosung entertained the following on Sunday at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. King, Fred Derr, Lois

Brewer, Irvie Ankney, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuhn, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ankney and Jean Burhenn and Clarence Derr. Mr. and Mrs. David Weigle entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Saturday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kellen, son Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ankney and Jean Burhenn. The evening was

spent in playing 500 and prizes were won by Earl Kellen, high, and Mrs. Harold Ankney, low.

Mrs. Flora Reid and daughter, lowing at a scramble dinner on Monday: Mr. and Mrs. Olie Christensen and Mrs. Thirza Sanders Walnut, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer. Underhile and children Beverly. Joyce and Tommy, Mrs. Mary Tennant, Mrs. Grace Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reid, John Short, Harry Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison, Mr. James Reid and children, Robert and Roberta, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Demarest and Ruth and Dickie, all of Amboy. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ditsch en-tertained at New Year's dinner Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fane and Bobby Lee, Mrs. Harold Ankney, Jean Burhenn and Miss Mar Potts of Dixon.

Horner Plans to Attend Jackson Day Gathering

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP) Governor Horner has made tentative plans to join other Illinois Democratic leaders in attending the annual Jackson Day dinner in Chicago, January 8, it was disclosed officially today.

If the governor attends, it would be his first participation in a big state political fete in more than a year. Many Cook county and downstate officials are scheduled to be present, among them United States Senators Scott W. Lucas and James M. Slattery, Mayor Edward J. Kelly of Chicago and Lieut. Governor John Stelle.

Horner was listed in a recent announcement as one of the invited speakers for the dinner. Associates said today, however, that he had expressed a wish to be present but it was uncertain whether he would address the gathering.

Registration of cars in October and November of 1939 was 20 per cent above that in the same

CLOSING-OUT SALE

The undersigned will hold a Closing-Out Sale at the farm known as the John Untz place, located one mile north of West Brooklyn and 1/4 mile east.

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26 Mister. 28 Right. 29 Caterpillar 48 Room recess. 49 Silkworm. hair. 30 Ridge. 51 Gave 32 Overskirt. 52 Expensive.

33 One not easily excited. 53 Exploit. 34 Officer's helper. 36 Exists.

DE GLANCES

39 Electric unit. 40 Morindin dye. become

emperor. VERTICAL 2 To make amends. 3 Dawdler, medicine to. 4 Native metal, 5 Languors. 6 Printer's term, 50 Onager, 55 Males. 56 Portion.

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• 9 Supervisor of relief.

10 Circle part. 11 Uncommon. 12 Transparent. 14 Wolframite,

15 His wife, Empress ---17 And. 19 Pertaining to the joints,

22 Painted.

misrepresent, 27 Values. 29 Health spring. 31 Male child. 37 Sparoid fish.

40 Winged. 42 Breakwater, 44 Insensibility. 45 Custom. 46 Optical glass. 47 Advertisement

48 Pertaining to 52 Father. 54 Musical note. 56 Plural.

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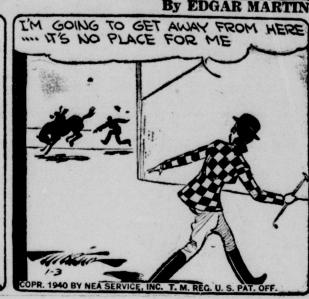






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6:30 Burns and Allen—WBBM
Jack Kelly's Orch.—WCFL
7:00 Hollywood Playhouse

WMAQ Breezing Along-WLS Al Pearce's Gang—WBBM German Band—WOC 7:30 Avalon Time-WMAQ Lone Ranger-WGN

Quicksilver—WLS Elliott Roosevelt—WIND 8:00 Fred Allen-WMAQ Star Theater—WBBM Radio Guild Drama — 8:30 Horse and Buggy Days — WIBA

Kyser 's Program -WMAQ Roy Shield's Orch.-WENR Raeburn's Orch. -Miller's Orch. -WBBM

9:30 Concert Hall-WOC

Romance in Rhythm -WGN 10:00 Varieties-WCFL Amos 'a' Andy—WBBM Ten O'clock Final—WENR Todd Hunter—WBBM

Griff Williams' Orch. -10:30 Dick Jurgen's Orch.-WGN Richard Himber's Orch. -11:00 Art Kassel's Och.-WENR

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12:15 Life Can Be Beautiful —
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Happy Gang—WGN
Ellen Randolph—WMAQ

12:30 This Day is Ours—WBBM
Tony Wons—WMAQ

12:45 The Road of Life—WBBM
Tonic Tunes—WOC

1:00 Betty and Bob—WMAQ
Doc. Barclay's Daughters—
WBBM
Concert Orch—WGN

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—WMAQ
Eddie and Fannie—WCFL

1:30 Your Family and Mine —
WBBM

WCFL WCFL
Marine Band—WIBA
Valiant Lady—WMAQ

1:45 Hymns of All Churches —
WMAQ
My Son and I—WBBM
Spotlight Program—WCFL

2:00 Girl Interne—WBBM
Story of Mary Marlin — Story of Mary Marlin .

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Bethancourt's Band WLS 2.15 Ma Perkins—WMAQ Twelve Men and a Maid Chase Twins-WCFL Society Girl-WBBM

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2:45 Vic and Sade—WMAQ
3:00 Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Editor's Daughter—WBBM
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Club Matinee—WENR 3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ Maids and Men—WGN Manhattan Mother—WBBM Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ Young Widder Brown— WMAQ Linda's First Love—WBBM 4:00 Al Donohua's Orch—WMT

Kathleen Norris—WBBM Three Graces—WGN Girl Alone—WMAQ 4:15 Swingtime Serenad WENR Midstream-WMAQ

Johnson Family—WMT Golden Store—WBBM Affairs of Anthony WENR Kitty Keene—WMAQ It Happened in Hollywood —WBBM

4:45 Scattergood WBBM Baines Bill McCune's Orch.-WGN Dinning Sisters—WENR Frolics Before Five -

WMAQ
5:00 Life Can Be Beautiful —
WMAQ
Lazaro's Ensemble—WGN
Billy & Betty—WBBM
Musical Bits—WENR

5:30 Boake Carter—WOC
Cameo Theater—WCFL
5:45 Today in Europe—WBBM
Adventures of Tom Mix —
WENR 6:00 Easy Aces—WENR

Fred Waring's Orch. Organ Moods—WMAQ
6:15 Mr. Keene, Tracer of Lost
Persons—WENR
Heart of Julia Blake—

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Dad's Family—WCFL
I Love a Mystery—WMAQ
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7:30 Strange As It Seems—
WBBM
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Concert Miniature—WENR
Good News of 1940 —
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WBBM

Orrin WGN Weber's Concert in the home of her father, William 9:30 Henry Revue-WGN Americans at Work—WOC 9:45 Todd Hunter—WBBM 10:'00 Fred Waring—WMAQ
Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Ten O'clock Final—WENR of the Evangelical church

Tucker's Orch.

WBBM
Dick Jurgens' Orch.—WGN
Lou Breeze's Orch.—Reformed church will be the gerines and dates from their cousin, Charles Stauffer, Phoenix,

WMAQ Jack McLean's Orch. — Dorsey's Orch .-11:00 Jimmy WMAQ
Art Kassel's Orch.—WENR Mrs. Herman Greenfield, Thursday afternoon

FORRESTON

MRS. FRED DEUTH, Reporter

December Wedding The following account of the marriage of Martin J. Deuth, son of the John F. Deuths of Forreston, was taken from a Gon-

zales, Texas, paper: mony at the home of her parents, Miss Mary Jane Lewis became the bride of Martin J. Deuth of Forreston, Ill., Friday evening, Dec. 22.

"The home was beautifully decorated for the ceremony which was solemnized at 7 o'clock bewas solemnized at was solemnized at 7 o'clock be-fore members of the immediate family. Rev. H. C. Wings offici-raine Wilson of Rockford were

tendants. The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brad-ford Lewis of this city, and is a member of a prominent Gonzales held Jan. 16-17 in Forreston's county family. She attended the gymnasium. The program will appear State College for Women at Denton, and the University of

THE OLD BOY

WOULD CATCH THE

science degree at the University of Illinois. He is a member of the Gamma Alpha and Sigma Xi, sci-entific honorary fraternities. At present he is employed as geologist for the Shell Oil Co. of San Antonio. The young couple are housekeeping in Gonzales."

Birthday Dinner
The birthday of Ed Meyers was celebrated on New Year's Day with a family dinner, guests in-cluding Mr. and Mrs. Michael Frey of Aurora, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Thomas of Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Floto of Mt. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Heeren of Lanark, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Garman of Adeline, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Derby, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Derby, Kenneth Derby, Miss Mar-tha Meyers and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rademaker.

Forreston Briefs
Mr. and Mrs. John Heuermann
and son Tommy of Oregon visited Miss Carrie Docter, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nimrick
visited friends in Chicago over the

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Poisell and son Jimmy of Mendota were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James

guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Foster, Sunday.

John Buss Jr. and family spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Buss Sr., southwest of Forreston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams visited at the Alfred Basse home in Durand, Saturday and Sunday. They were all entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Eilders in Freeport on New Year's Day. in Freeport on New Year's Day. Virginia Williams returned home with her parents, having spent the holiday vacation in the Eilders

home. Mrs. John Rebel and sons Gayle and Jay returned home yesterday from a visit with her parents at Olivet, S. D. Mrs. Lydia Murdaugh and son

Harold were week end guests of the H. B. Oblander family. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schell of Mt. Morris visited relatives here Sunday. Miss Marguerite Moore and

Charles Lang were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fran-cis Swanson at Rockford. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Webster of Oak Park stopped over Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Webster's mother, Mrs. Sarah Haller, on their return from a visit at Lincoln, Nebr.

Mrs. C. T. Bruce and Mr. and

Mrs. Milton Capps returned Sun-day from a trip to Kentucky. Lee Timmer has returned to Chicago to resume his studies at DePaul university after a two weeks' vacation in his parents' Miss Meitha Hiteman returned to West Allis, Wis., Monday, fol-lowing the holiday vacation spent

quite ill, but shows some improve-The Women's Missionary society Morgan's Orch.— meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jacob Duitsman.
Duchin's Orch.— Mrs. Herman Brandt will be the control of the Evangence of Mrs. Guy Donaldson, Mrs. Irvin Paul and Oliver Trump received a box of oranges, grapefruit, tangence of the Evangence of the Evan

H. Hiteman. Mrs. Conrad Wolfe has been

entertained by Miss Doris Maas, Thursday evening.
The Women's Missionary society of the Forreston Grove Pres-

Mrs. Robert Rinderman and son Robert Jr. and Mrs. Frances Thompson of Freeport spent last Wednesday at the Peter Smith home. Clinton Miller of Berwyn spent last Wednesday at his grandparents' home, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith. Clinton Miller, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller of Berwyn, won the middleweight

boxing championship of Sterling Motar high school last Thursday. He won over the boy who held the state championship. Clinton is 6 feet 2 inches tall, and weighs 160 lbs. His father was motorman "In a quiet and beautiful cere- on the street cars in Dixon several years ago. Miss Bess McFarland of Syracuse, N. Y., Mrs. Fred McFarland, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McFar-

of Pasadena, Calif., were the at- wife, Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor, over the week end.

State Champion Lil' Abner—WMAQ
Jack Kelly's Orch.—WCFL
Lowell Thomas—WLW

Texas at Austin.

"Mr. Deuth is a graduate of Jack Kelly's Orch.—WCFL
Forreston high school, class of and Mrs. Walter Kaney, living nois Crop Improvement association to be held Jack at the Unit at DePauw university, Green- of eight youths to be selected as Farm and Home Week at the Unicastle, Ind., and his master of 4-H corn-growing champions of versity of Illinois.

Little Man, What Now?



"Now, let me tell you something." Or words to that effect appear to be the gist of what Manager Jimmy Johnston is telling Man-Mountain Valentin Campolo. Buenos Aires heavyweight fighter, recently arrived in the Uinted States. Campolo weighs 220 pounds, stands six feet, four inches..

POLO Mrs. Maude Reed Reporter

Phone 59-Y

Town Topics Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Trump, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hendrix and fam-ily, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Donaldson were entertained at New Year's dinner at the home of Mr. and crease to Mrs. Eddie Boddiger.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rowand and diciary.

Mrs. Anna Osterhoudt were din-ner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shrader. Wilbur Marth is ill at his home on South Division street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dean fiscal year and an average of 35 shopped in Dixon Saturday night. Mrs. Guy Donaldson, Mrs. Irvin Paul and Oliver Trump received

Guests for dinner New Year's Day at the Bert Bowen were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rein-stra and daughter Eula and son

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson entertained at a scramble dinner New Year's evening. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Archie Smith and son George and daughter Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Boley, Emmaline Landis, Mr. and Mrs. John Rohrer, Mrs. Anna Osterhoudt, Mrs. Emmerson Witmer and daughter Elouise, Mrs. Ella Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Row-land, Mr. and Mrs. Lomus Stull. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Grossnickle Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Grossnickle were guests New Year's day at the Melvin Grossnickle home.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nuppenau of Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rieken of Mt. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson of Mt. Morris were entertained New Year's evelow Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Roddiger

by Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Boddiger Cards were played and refresh-ments served at a late hour.

DIRECTOR'S WARNING Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3-(AP)-If you have that tired feeling left Currens, deceased, are hereby reover from New Year's Eve, be on quested to present them for adguard against pneumonia and in- justment before the County Court ated. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Matter guests of the former's cousin and fluenza, Dr. A. C. Baxter, state of Lee County, at Dixon, Illinois, public health director, advised to- on or before the first Monday in

> 436 new cases of pneumonia in filed without issuance of sumthe state last week, the season's mons. highest weekly gain. the state for 1939. They will be

Demands Made on FBI Heaviest in 15 Years

Washington, Jan. 3-(AP) -J. Edfar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reported to congress today that demands on the bureau in the 1939 fiscal year were the heaviest in 15 years, largely as the result of espionage investigations.

He attributed part of the increase to inquiries into anti-trust law violations and the federal ju-Hoover said that espionage cases totaled 1,651 during the year, compared with 250 in the 1938

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Legal Publication

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE All persons having claims against the Estate of James J. McBride, deceased, are notified and requested to present the same in writing for adjustment before the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, at the Court House in the City of Dixon, on or

A. D. 1940. Dated this 23rd day of December, A. D. 1939, Edward J. McBride,

Administrator,

befroe the first Monday in March

Attorneys. Dec. 27 Jan. 3-10

Warner and Warner,

CLAIM DAY NOTICE All persons having claims against the Estate of Carrie March, A. D. 1940, on or before The health director reported which date such claims may be

Dated this third day of Janu-

ary, A. D. 1940. Harry E. Currens, Executor. E. E. Wingert,

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I'M NOT TEARING

OUT ANY HAIR

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OUT OUR WAY

JAWILLIAMS WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

Mothers' Circle Mrs. R. E. Chandler was hostess to the Mothers' Circle of the Presbyterian church this afternoon at the manse.

Berean Class Mrs. Walter Ely assisted by Mrs. Emma Tice entertained the Berean class of the Methodist church this afternoon.

Removed from Clinic Mrs. Ervin Yount, who suffered a broken pelvis in an automobile accident two weeks ago, was moved from the local clinic Saturday to the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yount on South Seventh

Suffered Stroke John Price, who suffered a light paralytic stroke a week ago, is slightly improved.

Birthday Celebration Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Rees and son of Rockford, Mrs. Charles Kinn, Mrs. Graydon Patrick and were visitors Saturday at McCourt at Dixon in celebration of Mrs. McCourt's birthday anni-

versary.

Under Nurse's Care Mrs. B. H. Thomas is ill and being cared for by Mrs. Lewis Lindsay, R. N.

Home Bureau The Oregon unit of the Ogle County Home Bureau will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. P. Giebrich. The major topic, "Energy Requirements and Vitamins," will be conducted by Mrs. Ed Thomas and Mrs. D. E. Warren. The minor topic, "Better English," will be in charge of Mrs. W. L. Séttles.

Resume Classes Members of the Bible training class of the Church of God re-sumed classes Tuesday, following a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Carman entertained guests at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doebler of Holcomb, Miss Nadine Dailey of Chana and Mr. and Mrs. E. G.

Mr. and Mrs. James Watkins have returned to Eldorado following a week's visit with Mrs. Wat-kins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kel-

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gordon of St. Charles were recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Abbott. The C. V. Merrill and Ted O'Flagherty families of Chicago spent the New Year's week end at their summers homes east of Oregon and entertained guests Mr. and Mrs. Ray Abrahamson

and son of Munster, Ind., are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Spoor, Mr. and Mrs. Jewett and family Rockford were dinner guests New Year's Day at the Spoor home. Twenty-five guests were entertained at a New Year's Eve party

at the home of Mrs. Jessie Lebo- Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wanerka motored to Aurora to spend Sunday with Mrs. John Hutchinson. Mrs.

Wanerka is remaining for the Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hanes en-

tertained at dinner New Year's, Mrs. Hanes' father, D. F. Burke of Polo and Mr. and Mrs. W. F.

New Year's Day dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Murdock included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murdock Sr. and son Reno, Miss Anna Murdock, Mr. Mrs. Donald Brooke and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murdock Jr. and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Rees and son Donald of Rockford, Mr. and at Mrs. Charles Kinn had New Hi Year's dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gravdon Patrick

Mrs. Walter Strong and family Mr. and Mrs. Towner Webster of Winnetka, spent Sunday and Monday at "Stronghold." Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Corcoran

were visited over the week end by Mr. and Mrs. Calvin James and daughter of Janesville, Wis. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Macy and daughter spent the week end with Macy's parents at Ham-

mond, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith are being visited by the latter's sister. Miss Elizabeth Evans of Indianapolis, Ind. Miss Flora Blomquist was a

visitor over the week end and New Year's of her brother, Harvey Blomquist and family at La-Crosse, Wis.
C. B. Kiest spent the week end and New Year's with his children

and families at Highland Park. Northbrook, Schiller Park and Mrs. George F. Cann, daughters

Gertrude and Louise, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Siebert were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Kearns at Franklin Grove. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin McRoberts were visitors Sunday and Monday of Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis

Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hardesty at Milledgeville. Mr. and Mrs. John Houdack and two children of Chicago spent the week end with Mrs. Houdack's

parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ber-

Mrs. F. J. King of Rochelle was a New Year's Day visitor of her daughter, Mrs. M. V. Peterman and family

Mrs. Zilphia Peterman and erman at Franklin Grove.

Nancy and son Tom returned Monday from Indianapolis, Ind., where they spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scheuring. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Harper and

Miss Ruth Emerson passed the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Myers at Dixon.
Mr. and Mrs. Clare Bradford

entertained guests Sunday and Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bradford of Westmont, Mrs. Clyde Epperly of Joy. Ill., Lawrence Bradford of Aledo and Charles Lane Miss Frieda Myers was a week

guest of Miss Elaine Ommen Miss Gertrude Cann was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the members of her sewing club. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Grimes,

Seiger Cirksena, Miss Helen and Andrew Cirksena were dinner guests New Year's Day of Mr. and Mrs. Duain Grimes at Lena. Miss Lana Seibert was hostess to twenty guests at a New Year's eve party.

Unit Meetings
January unit meetings of the
Ogle County Home Bureau:
Jan. 4, Oregon unit, 2:00 P. M.,
Mrs. M. P. Giebrich, hostess; local leader in charge. Jan. 5, Mary-land-Forreston unit, 1:30 P. M., Mrs. E. Hoch, hostess; local leader in charge, Jan. 9, White Rock-Flagg unit, 2:00 P. M. Mrs. George Stocking, hostess; local leader in charge. Jan. 10, Rockvale unit, 1:30 P. M., Mrs. H. T. Thomas, hostess; local leader in charge. Jan. 11, Lighthouse unit 2:00 P. M., Mrs. James Hay, Jr., hostess; local leader in charge. Jan. 11. Blackhawk unit, 8:00 P. M., Mrs. M. C. Weber, hostess; Blackhawk unit, 8:00 local leader in charge. Jan. 12 Polo Eagles unit, 1:30 P. M., Mrs. Harold Unger, hostess; local leader in charge. Jan. 13, Leaf River unit, 2:00 P. M., Mrs. J. Hagemann, hostess; local leader in charge. Jan. 16, Polo-Woosung unit, 2:00 P. M., Mrs. John Gatz, hostess; local leader in charge. local leader in charge. hostess: Jan. 16, Marion unit, potluck at noon, meeting 2:00 P. M., Mrs. Fred Kruse, hostess; home adviser in charge. Jan. 18, Lynnville unit, 2:00 P. M., Mrs. Claude Holmes, hostess; home adviser in charge. Jan. 1:30 P. M., Mrs. George M. Hammer, hostess; home adviser in charge. Jan. 25, Mt. Morris unit, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles 2:00 P. M., Mrs. Harry Newcomer, hostess; home adviser in charge Jan. 26, Scott unit, 1:30 P. Mrs. William Fischer, hostess; local leader in charge. Jan. 26. Creek-Grand Detour unit, Pine M., Mrs. Ray Shaver, hostess; home adviser in charge. Jan. 30, Washington Grove unit, Washington Grove unit, M., home adviser in charge. Local leader's lesson, "Energy

Requirements." Home adviser's lesson, "Vitamins." Minor lesson, "Better English."

HARMON Mrs. Fred Powers, Reporter Phone 17-11

Community Gathering

On Thursday evening the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Okland was the scene of a very happy community gathering in celebra-tion of one of the members' birth-Games were played and a social evening was followed by a very tempting lunch. Those present included: Irene. Doris, Florence and Carl Kihlstrom, James, John, Leo, Marie Von Holten, Dorothy, Waldo and Lawrence Martinson, Jane Knoll, Charles and Joseph Kent, Elmer, Helen Albert, Bernice, Frank and Zelda Schulte: Raymond and Robert Hicks; Harold and Lowell Deitz; Lyla Kunde; Charles McCarter; Elaine Kranov; Wayne Echelberger; John and Anna Okland. guests departed at a late hour wishing the honored guest, Joseph Kent, many happy returns. Plans were made for a roller skating party in the near future

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Henkel and

family attended a birthday party at the home of the former's father, John Henkel, in Mendota, on Patsy of Dixon and Mrs. Black-Weekly Card Party

The weekly card parties were resumed in the basement of St. Flannen's church on Thursday evening with a very good attendance. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Raymond Clarke and A. J. Kranov in euchre, and in "500" to Mrs. Emmitt Drew and Leo Downs. Lunch was served by the

ladies and dancing was enjoyed from 9 to 12. St. Ann's society of St. Flannen's church will meet in the basement on Wednesday after-noon. The next card party will be held on January 11. Mrs. An- have noved their household goods thony Clinton and members of and her band will have charge of lunch the meeting and Mrs. Chris to the farm owned by Martin Tos-nkel and her band will have ney near Dixon.

charge of the card party. Bingo Party

Miss Eileen O'Brien entertained eight small girls at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William O'Brien on Friday afternoon. Individual prizes were awarded at returned home from the hospital bingo, and refreshments were on Tuesday served by Mrs. O'Brien. Those Misses H present were: Mary Malach, The- sephine Miller present were: Mary Malach. The-rese, Harriet and Rose Ann Black-burn, Donna Powers, Joyce Gar-land, Sue Powlers, Joyce Gar-land, Sue Powlers and Rose Ann Black-burne, Donna Powers, Joyce Gar-land, Sue Powlers and Rose Ann Black-burne, Sue Powlers and Rose Gar-Sue Parker, Jackie Sue Knoll, Joan Gasiand and the host-

Anniversary Party Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lund entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dixon and Harmon. and Mrs. Maurice Laursen and Mr. and Mrs. Frank and Mrs. Jake Rhodenbaugh, is Metz on Thursday evening in hon- enjoying a visit in sunny Califoror of their wedding anniversary.

Fifteen high school students gathered at the home of Professor Lehman on Friday evening to be students.

Mrs. Freddie Shaugnessey left Wednesday by train for Alhambra, California, to visit relatives. Lehman on Friday evening to hon-Doris Parker who celebrated dren, and Mrs. Catherine Kerriher 16th birthday on that day. Games and a social evening were enjoyed and lunch was served lat- and East Moline. er in the evening. Doris received many gifts and the best of good

Personal Items Misses Mabel and Helen Miller,

registered nurses at St. Joseph's Mrs. Philip Bauer in Sterling.
hospital in Aurora, spent the past Mr. and Mrs. Edward Garland hospital in Aurora, spent the past week in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mil-

Mr. and Mrs. George Henry of turning home they visited Mrs. Chicago spent the week end with relatives here. Mrs. Edward Henry a patient at Hines hospital.

Henry returned to the city with Miss Rita Anne Miller resumed to the city with Miss Rita Anne Miller resumed granddaughter, Lea Peterman, them to be with her husband, a her position at Herrin, Ill., or patient at Hines hospital.

Miss Rita Anne Miller resumed the her position at Herrin, Ill., or Monday after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Henkel were her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

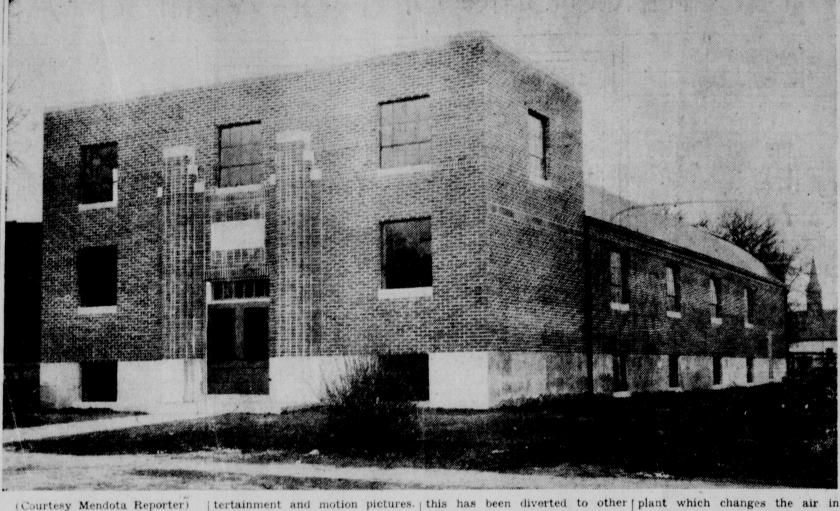
Mrs. W. J. Emerson, daughter | callers Friday in West Brooklyn. Mrs. Stanley Ryan of Maytown Misses Rita Henkel and Eileen Long spent the holiday week-end mother, Mrs. Kate Drew.

Mrs. Ruth O'Connell and Jane Mr. and Mrs. Vincent McHugh of Milwaukee, Wis., were holiday with relatives in Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bontz, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peach, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodenbaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peach were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maberry of Sterling were callers through the week at the nome of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reed in Pole. Ralph Reed in Polo. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Behrendt

and son Johnny returned home the middle of the week from Swan, Dougherty, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brandenburg and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McCormick, Mrs. M. H. Power and Emmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred LeBeau and children were dinner guests on New Years Fred Powers. In the arternoon service establishments and their daughter Betty and son Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. LeBeau and family operations,

Dedicate Sublette Community Building Thursday



residents of the enterprising community, to which sum Sublette merchants by popular subscription added a set of fine bowling teur talent will be presented.

The fine new Sublette Community building will be thrown open The dedication program is dedication program.

Mrs. James Ryan of Dixon was

week-end guest in the home of

her son and family, Mr. and Mrs.

of Ambov were dinner guests of

New Years day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McCormick on

and Harry Durr of Litchfield were

Roy Morrissey home.
Miss Lyola Fitzpatrick of Dixon

spent the week-end at the home

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo

Miss Mabel Hermes accompa-

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Heinzeroth

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harney of

nied her brother-in-law and sis-

Walnut to Chicago on Wednesday.

and farm machinery from the August Pohle farm north of town

ney near Dixon.
Mr. and Mrs. Chris Henkel are

Sublette were callers through the

week in the home of Roman Ma-

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Malach of

Mrs. Lloyd Considine and baby

Misses Helen Hermes and Jo-

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chiverton,

newlyweds, returned to their new

home in Cairo after spending the

week-end with their parents in

Alvin Rhodenbaugh, son of Mr

nia with his aunt and uncle, Mr.

Mrs. Roman Malach and chil-

week with relatives in Port Byron

Miss Mary Leonard spent the

Mrs. Theodore Fitzpatrick is

spending the week with her

daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and

and Paul Garland accompanied

Miss Olive Garland to Chicago on

Tuesday of last week and on re-

visiting relatives in Chicago

Lawrence Garland

Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent McHugh

guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Downs. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelly and

The Rev. Lewis V. Dougherty

Dougherty and son John of Chi-

and Mrs. Hugh Brandenburg or

The census bureau plans to make

past week in the James Bradley

gan spent several days the past M. Boyenga.

and Mrs. George Walters.

nome in Sterling.

driving a new automobile

vacation with their parents.

lach and family.

holiday guests of her mother,

and Mrs. John Wosfledt

Margaret Byrnes, in the Le-

New structure which will be of- The Amboy drum and bugle corps uses in recent years and is now the building six times each hour. ficially dedicated at Sublette to- will be heard in a program and bemorrow. The fine building and its ginning at 4 o'clock, members of equipment was made possible by the Sublette fire department will citizens realized the urgent need ent to provide for the installation an \$18,000 bond issue voted by serve supper in the spacious din- of a community building and of two fine new bowling alleys in building. A band concert will community house. take place between 6 and 7 o'clock in the evening at which time ama-

Courtney Ryan of this city. An building which is but one block in length and 41 feet in width. excellent program has been ar- from the main business district. made to suspend all business dur- S. Angear, Peter C. Reinhard and draft of the plans. ing the afternoon and evening, Walter Erbes continued their ef-

Mrs. W. H. Yenerich

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spent several days the past week

at the home of their grandmother,

Mr. and Mrs. William Raub.

daughter Theone, and sons, Mer-

lin and Billy returned to their

home at Dysart, Iowa, Saturday

morning after a several days visit

at the home of Mrs. Raub's father,

George F. Schafer, and other rela-

Mrs. Lester Haseltine and chil-

dren of Chicago have been spend-

ing the holiday vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Addie

Bill Kidd of Moline was a guest

Miss Norma Jean Kerst of

of his friend, Junior Schinzer at

the Frank Schinzer home the past

West Chicago was also a guest at

the Schinzer home during the hol-

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Kendell

and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Ken-

dell's father, Bert Robinson and

her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Rob-

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Kaecher entertained at a six o'clock

dinner on Sunday evening. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wiener and daughter, Doris of

near Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Wil-

liam Seitz and daughters of Franklin Grove, Mrs. Margaret Seitz of Amboy and Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Schafer of this place and Miss Minetta Scha-

fer of Cleveland, Ohio, were en-

tertained at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Edison Vogel and family at a six o'clock dinner on Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Boyenga

The newlyweds are

were week end guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.

taking up their residence in an apartment in Waterloo, Iowa,

where Mr. Boyenga has been em-

man, son, Gerald and daughters,

Eileen and Leonore of Brunswick,

Nebraska, were Saturday after-

noon callers at the home of Mr. Hanneman's uncle, Mr. and Mrs

Andrew C. Kaecker. The Nebras-

ka folks departed for their home

Monday morning, after a week's

University of Illinois students from here left for Champaign yes-

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visit here with relatives.

oyed for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hanne-

Charles W. Krug of this place.

tives

Mrs. Emma Hallam at Shabbona.

used as a machine storage building. About two years ago, Dr. need of some form of popular di-Angear and other foresighted version, subscribed a sum suffici-

A building site was purchased readiness for the dedication, but and plans for the proposed struc- are expected to be available about ture were prepared by Architect ten days later. Sublette's new Community Norman Cook of Ottawa. Henry building provides a fine modern Zolper & Sons of Mendota were ditorium, 72 by 40 feet with an structure for the entertainment of awarded the general contract and arched ceiling. Four laminated to the public Thursday following its citizenry. Several months ago the building was erected by day hardwood arches of inlaid woods, the formal dedication which will an \$18,000 bond issue was voted labor employed from Sublette and form the supports for the roof. be conducted by Attorney James to provide the erection of the vicinity. The building is 108 feet Across one end of the hall is a The front of the building is

ranged for the occasion, providing | Some opposition to the movement | built of face brick, carrying out a | trance are located the check room activity throughout the afternoon was apparent, but the building modern stream-lined effect. Every and general office. and evening. Plans are being committee composed of Dr. B. H. convenience was considered in the

permitting merchants and their forts and were successful in com- spacious dining hall, with a seat- gatherings and projection booth employes to participate in the de- pleting the building. Francis Mor- ing capacity for 200 persons, with for the showing of motion picdication. A large number from riesy and Gilbert Malach compose modern equipped kitchen, dishes tures. Complete projection equip-Dixon are planning to be present. the committee in charge of the and tableware. Rest rooms are lo- ment is to be installed to provide cated at one end of the basement. motion talking pictures for the scheduled to begin at 2 o'clock For many years the old Ar- Two heating plants, operating populace. The latest type of Thursday afternoon the address mory hall served as the public singly are located in the basement Flurescent lighting is installed to be followed by a program of en- gathering place in Sublette, but together with an air conditioning throughout the building.

dell returned his son Nevin, Bur-

Mrs. P. Ereich and with his par-

George Krug home.

able.

enjoyed at the noon hour.

Missionary Society

in the church parlors. Mrs. Fred G. Schafer will lead the devo-

tions and Mrs. Glenn Pfoutz will

give the lesson study. Yearly re-

ports of the secretary, treasurer

and librarian will be given at this

meeting. All members and friends

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MEN'S and LADIES'

GENUINE

OAK LEATHER

HALF SOLES

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Moore.

Jennings.

Sublette merchants sensing the been completed and will not be in

On the first floor is a large auspacious stage and dressing rooms. On each side of the en-

Across the front width of the building, is a second floor which A large basement provides a provides club rooms for small

terday to be in readiness for their of the society are invited to atclasses this morning. G. W. Ken- tend.

Love and Unity Class nell Henert and Miss Frances The Love and Unity class of the Evangelical Sunday school Miss Minetta Schafer left for will meet in the church parlors on Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday morning to resume her studies at West-Reserve University. Miss ters of the past year will be Schafer has spent the holiday vaspecial feature. The new officers cation at the Fred G. Schafer will take charge of the business. meeting. The hostesses for the Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Vaux, son afternoon are the Mesdames Adam Wallace and daughter Phyllis re- Eisenberg, A. R. Kersten, Edward turned Monday evening from a Klenke and Fred G. Schafer and week's visit with relatives at Al- Miss Ella Vaupel. All members

gona, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Thompson vited. and friends of the class are inand family had as their guest over the week end their nephew, John 1938 Class Reunion Haesler of Mt. Vernon, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moore re-The 1938 graduating class of the local high school enjoyed a reunion on Thursday evening. turned to their home in Rockford after spending the nonday vacation with Mrs. Moore's mother, Eighteen members of the class



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Seriously III

Mrs. Hurley Longman is seriously ill and under the care of a trained nurse.

Guest of Mother Raymond Pollock of Adele, Ia., was a guest from Tuesday until Saturday last week of his mother, Mrs. Nancy Pollock.

Sunday Guests
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Elmer Zumdahl were Mr. and
Mrs. William Zumdahl and family. family, John Zumdahl and Miss cago is caring for her. Clara Zumdahl of Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert

Cecil Armbruster came from Chicago and spent the week end in the Ray and Armbruster

dell where a short business meeting was held. A committee was selected to arrange another gettogether of the class in the form of a picnic during the summer months. The group then jour-neyed to Dixon where some spent the evening skating and others at the theater. A luncheon was served to the party at a Dixon lunch room and the evening was concluded at the home of Randall Jenkins. During the early morning hours the class members left for their homes, after an enjoyable evening. present were the Misses Marian Aschenbrenner, Gail Bailey, Dollie serve supper in the spacious dining hall in the basement of the launched the effort to secure a the basement. These have not Danekas, Helen Kurz, Kathryn Lovell, Frances Naylor, Mary Pfetzing, Madeline Romick, Lois Sachs, Arlene Schinzer, and Eileen Wilhelm., and Murray Altenburg, Junior Greenfield, Ran-dall Jenkins, Nevin Kendell, Ralph Kurth, Warren Lawson, and Joseph Schauff. Miss Norma Jean Kerst of West Chicago was

> About 100 couples danced to the rhythmic melodies of Frankie Pyzner's dance band of DeKalb on Friday evening at the Memorial

Alumni Dance

Preceding the dance two basket ball games were enjoyed. The local F. F. A. boys won the first game over the Amboy F. F. A. boys. Two alumni teams pro-vided plenty of amusement in the second game. Some of the old timers played against a group of college students who were home on vacation. The college boys were a bit too swift for their opponents and won the game.

The stage was prettily decorated with electric lighted Christmas born trees which made a fine background for the dance orchestra. Proceeds from the basket ball games and dance tickets were 1887 to Miss Jennie Harmon, who more than ample to take care of survives, as do three children, the expenses and the affair was Gladys, Clifford and Karl, all of a success financially.

Mt. Morris.

homes. Mrs. Aarmbruster spent the week with her mother, Mrs. Josie Ray. They returned home Sunday.

Town Topics

Toddy Hyland has been working during the week at the Kable plant while Mrs. Hyland visits their children, Virginia and Charles at the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Moore at Janesville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Schaar and daughter, Miss Frances Schaar, and Miss Geneva Bowers, Lanark, went to Chicago Saturday and saw Sonja Henie in her "Hollywood Revue

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hazzard and daughter were guests Sun-day of the Ralph Hazzards in Seward at the annual Hazzard family dinner, held during the

holiday season. Mrs. Pearl Kable is quite ill at Mrs. William Zumdahl and family, her Seminary avenue home. Her Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Zumdahl and daughter, Miss Virginia of Chi-Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burkhart,

nee Helen Hanes, moved the past week to Denver, Colo., where the former has a position with the U. S. government. The Burkharts have been in Oklahoma City the past three months. Mrs. Inez Hanes was a week

end guest of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hayes at Kings. Mr. and Mrs. John Yeager of

Glencoe were holiday guests the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Allen. The Yeagers and the latter's sister, Miss Margaret Allen, and Wayne Hollinger went to Chicago Sunday to see the Sonja Henie revue.

Kiwanis Club The Kiwanis club will meet at

the newly elected president, Foster B. Statler, in the chair. There will be a past presidents' round table with F. J. Dean reviewing table with F. J. Dean reviewing the early Kiwanis history and W. B. Stouffer summarizing the past W. B. Borman, Social curity representative from Rockford, will discuss the present status of the Social Security law. Mother Dies

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kimmel re-ceived word Monday when they were at their daughter's home, the Joe Sangers' in Oak Park, of the death of Mr. Kimmel's mother, Mrs. Emma Kimmel at North English, Iowa. The Kimmels left immediately for Sheldon, Iowa, where the funeral services will be hled. Mrs. Kimmel is well known in Mt. Morris, having spent much time in the home of her son and wife.

Henry Newcomer, 77, life long

resident of Mt. Morris, died Sat. urday night. Funeral services were held yesterday at the Metho dist church with burial at Oakwood. Rev. William L. Manny of ficiated. Henry Newcomer, son of Henry and Ellen Newcomer, was born June 21, 1862. He farmed near Mt. Morris and Brookville and at one time was a merchant in Mt. Morris. He was married in

TODAY 7:15 - 9:00 Matinee: Friday



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